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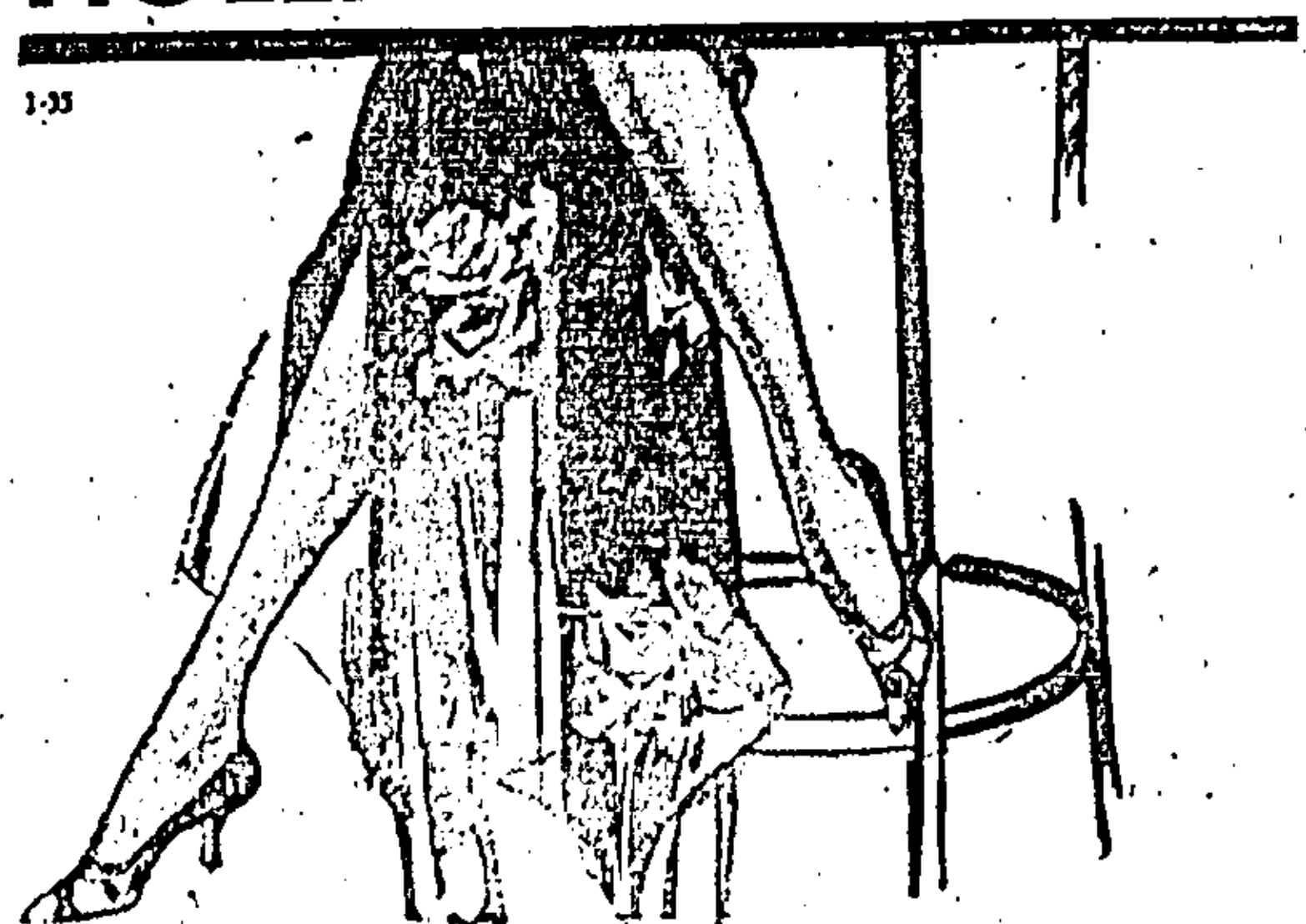


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ENGLISH WOMAN'S LAST VOYAGE

A WOMAN who has travelled 10,000 miles to begin a sentence of life imprisonment has reached England.

She is Mrs. Katherine Hadley, sentenced to death at Shanghai in 1933 for the murder of Captain Walter Clifford Youngs, former British mercantile marine officer.

Mrs. Hadley was recommended to mercy, and was granted a reprieve on December 12, 1933.

The sentence was commuted to imprisonment for life.

She travelled in the P. and O. liner Naldora, and was in charge of two police officers and a nurse.

On arrival in London she was taken to Holloway prison, where she began her imprisonment in England.

It is only on rare occasions that a prisoner is removed from an overseas territory to this country.

"These transfers are made under the Colonial Prisoners Removal Act of 1884," an official said.

"They involve the issuing of a warrant by the Home Secretary, and the question of removal is usually raised by the Governor of the Colony concerned."

Mrs. Hadley is a Lithuanian by birth, and about 36 years of age. She married an Englishman who committed suicide in 1919, when she was just 20 years old.

She was tried before the British Supreme Court at Shanghai, and displayed no sign of emotion when sentence of death was passed upon her.

A neighbour, at the trial, described how he watched through a window and saw Mrs. Hadley stab Captain Youngs.

A police sergeant stated that while he was guarding Mrs. Hadley at the hospital, she exclaimed: "Did I kill him? If not I'll kill him 10 times over."

NO AIR POCKETS CAUSED THIS!

New York, Oct. 28.

C. R. Smith, President of the American Airlines, has discovered why planes on the Cincinnati-Chicago route dip down over Rosclawn, Indiana. As a result an order has been issued against the practice.

Smith, it developed, was a passenger on a plane recently and noted sudden descent as well as the eager scrutiny applied to the earth by other passengers. One man even had field glasses.

Later Smith summoned Joe Westover, the pilot, and asked an explanation. "Nudist camp," said Westover.—United Press.



Mrs. Katherine Hadley escorted by a wardress on her arrival at Holloway prison in London. She travelled 10,000 miles to begin a sentence of life imprisonment in England. In 1933 she was sentenced to death at Shanghai for the murder of Captain Walter Clifford Youngs, a former British mercantile marine officer. A recommendation to mercy accompanied the sentence, which was afterwards commuted to penal servitude for life.

Six Stars Captured For British Films

Stuart Robertson and John Gielgud in New Productions

SIX new stars have been found for British films. Three are coming from Hollywood and three have been found in London. They are:

John Gielgud,
Stuart Robertson,
Jean Muir,

John Gielgud, who is one of the finest character actors on the London stage, and who has refused more film offers from Hollywood than any other actor in the past year, has agreed to play the part of Somerset Maugham's famous character, Ashenden, in a film to be called "The Secret Agent."

He appeared in the stage and film versions of "The Good Companions," and is the brother of Mr. Val Gielgud, the B.B.C. drama director.

The American film star, Robert Young, who played in "The House of Rothschild," and the German film star, Peter Lorre, who played the villain in "M" and "The Man Who Knew Too Much," are both being brought from Hollywood for "The Secret Agent," in which the heroine will be Madeline Carroll. It will be directed by Alfred Hitchcock for Gaumont-British.

Jean Muir, who played Helena in the film of "A Midsummer Night's Dream," will star in a musical film, to be directed by Paul Stein, of "Blossom Time," for Warner's at Teddington, Middlesex. She is a Scots girl at present in Hollywood.

Stuart Robertson, the Scottish singer, brother of Anna Neagle, the film star, has been placed under exclusive contract by British and Dominion and will first be starred in a sea story in which he will sing shanties. He has frequently broadcast and has sung at Queen's Hall.

Oscar Homolka, who is now playing in "Close Quarters" at the

Oscar Homolka,
Peter Lorre, and
Robert Young.

Savoy, and who has taken the part of Oom Paul Kruger in the film "Cecil Rhodes," has been placed under long contract by Gaumont-British and will be starred in a series of films. He is an Australian.

Gaumont-British will produce 23 films during the next 12 months: Two starring Will Hay. Two with Jessie Matthews. Two with Jack Hulbert and Cicely Courtneidge.

Negotiations now under way make it likely that George Arliss, who is to play the part of the benign and whimsical detective created by the late Edgar Wallace in "The Mind of Mr. Reeder," will be seen in two further British films.

Two outstanding films in the Gaumont-British programme will be a talking-picture version of the famous silent film "Michael Strogoff: Courier of the Czar" and an Empire drama of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

For the title part in "Michael Strogoff" the names of Robert Donat and Fredric March have been mentioned, but nothing is likely to be settled until after Michael Balcon, director of productions for Gaumont-British, goes to Hollywood in November. Mr. Balcon will take with him 12 completed scenarios, and will try to find more famous American stars for British films.

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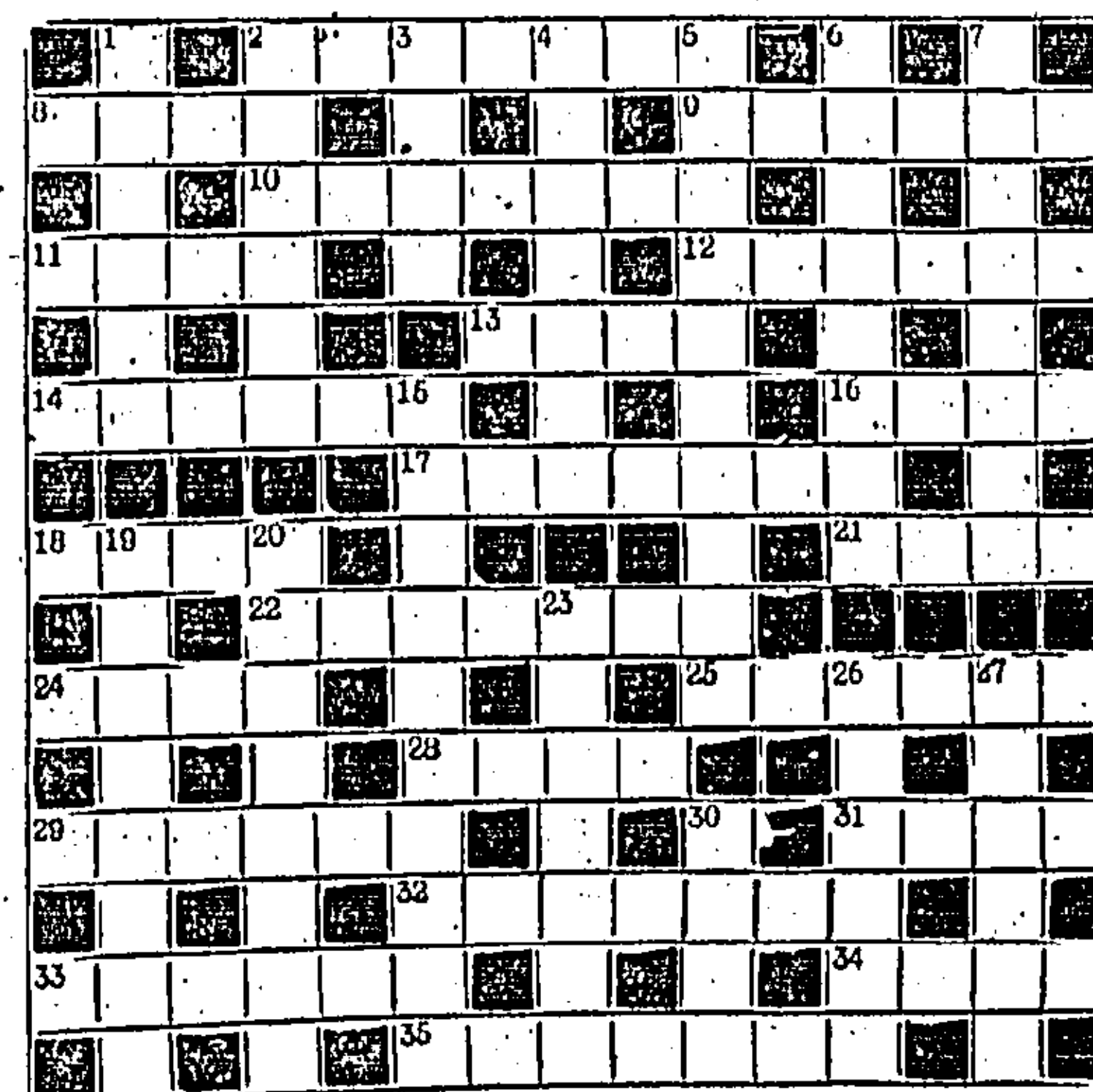
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- 8 Collected too?
- 9 Feature and what might cover it becomes a pest.
- 10 Has to do with a lung—or lungs, one might say, from the sound of it.
- 11 Half a league, half a league. No, more than that.
- 12 What cog-wheels do.
- 13 Bird that takes one encore abroad.
- 14 Says George Meredith: "Sir apokesman,—are weakness veiling rage."
- 16 A dislocated bone.
- 17 Edward and his promises to pay are boring.
- 18 In a short month, she represents what amateur actors are apt to do.
- 21 A wise herb.
- 22 An Indian.
- 24 Trip to a buried city.
- 25 If you curtail this little box, it gets much larger.
- 28 Doesn't contain a bullet, but starts one off.
- 29 If he hadn't pocketed a shilling, this officer would have remained more moral.
- 31 Final collapse, so to speak.
- 32 A friendly form of address that might become a blonde (two words, 3 and 4).
- 33 No luck (anagram).
- 34 Catnap.
- 35 No chicken.

DOWN

- 1 Vessel nearly gone? Sounds

gibberish.

- 2 Hammer.
- 3 Percussive.
- 4 Dressed, though the end suggests the opposite.
- 5 Police tees—disguised, of course.
- 6 Advance.
- 7 Might it describe a race between rowing bells? (hyphen, 4 and 4).
- 16 Financially ruined (hyphen, 6 and 5).
- 19 As is the true orator.
- 20 Grazing that's no good to sheep.
- 23 After all, the dude has come a purler.
- 26 A modest dwelling for vocal seamen.
- 27 Here you'll find yourself and me in a public school and London terminus.
- 30 No beast of burden.

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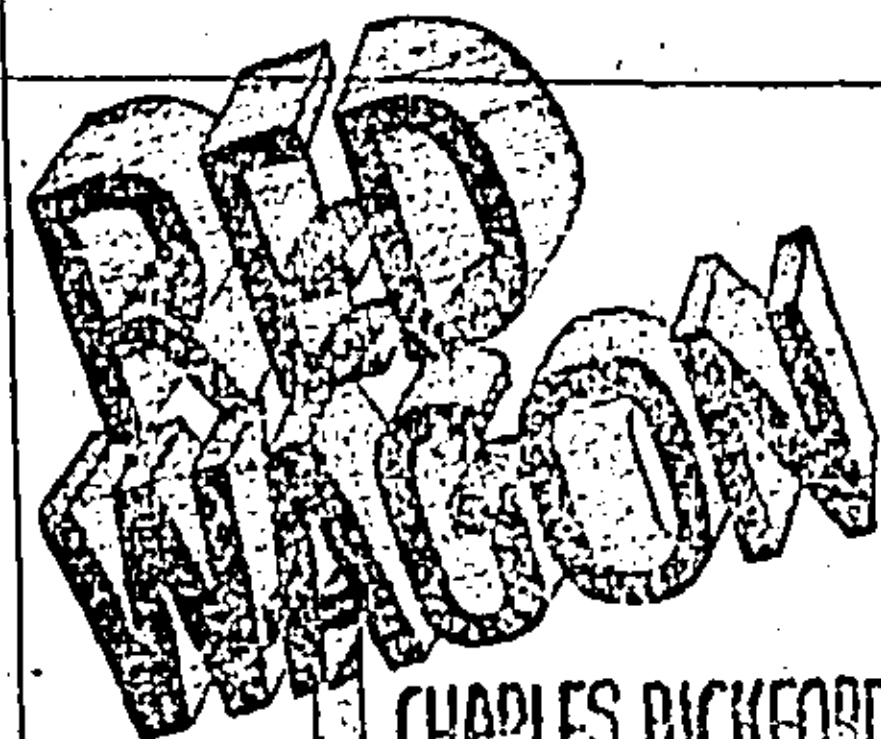
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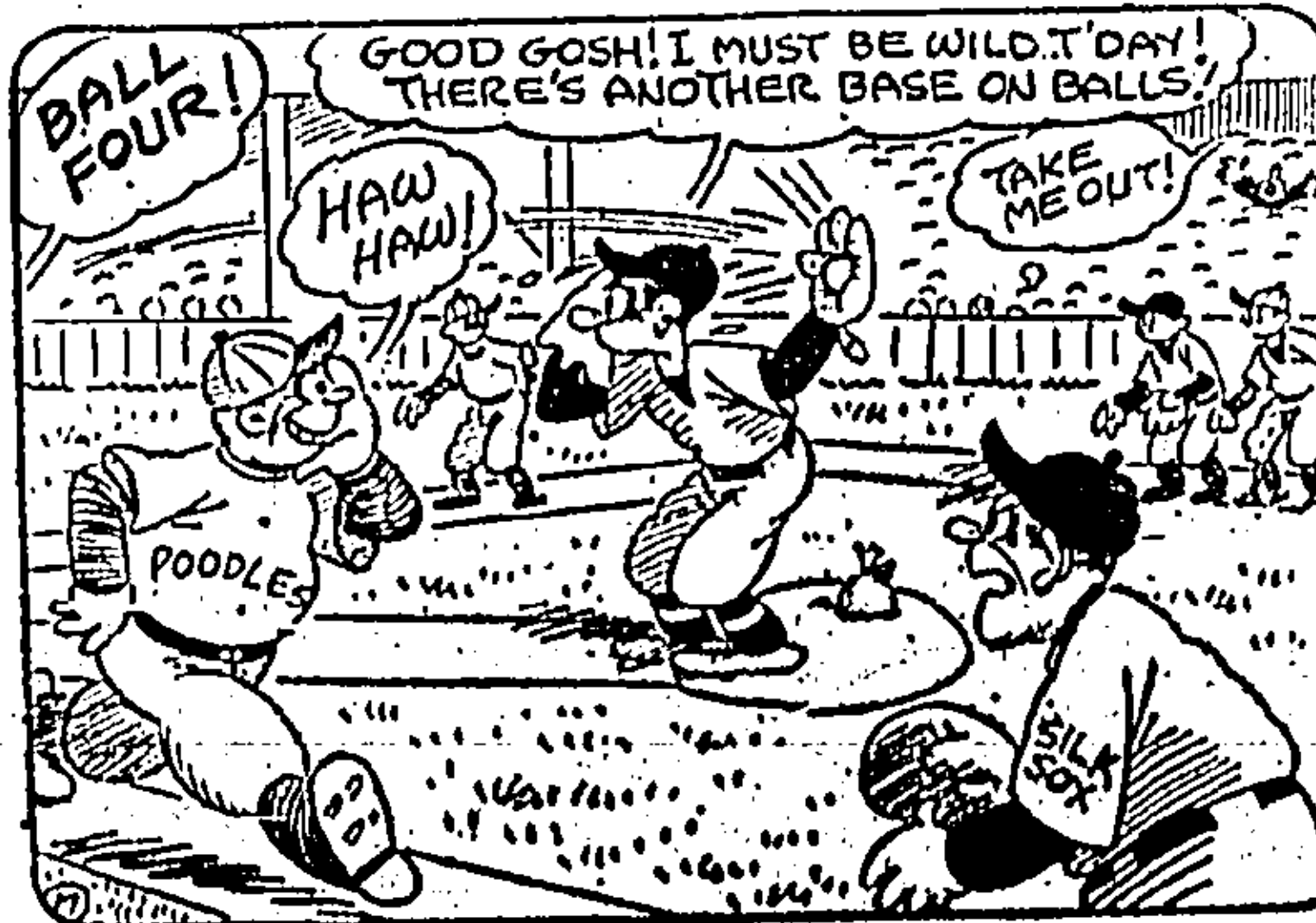
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R. OHL.
Agent.
Hongkong, 2nd November, 1935.

SANITARY BOARD

ADDITION PROPOSED TO MARKET BY-LAWS

At to-morrow's meeting of the Sanitary Board, the President, pursuant to notice, will move:
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE HONG KONG BRANCH OF THE ENGLISH ASSOCIATION.

The Hon. Mr. N. L. Smith will preside at the first meeting of the Session 1935-36 on TUESDAY, November 5th, (To-morrow) at 5.15 p.m. in The Helena May Institute, Mr. A. H. Paterson B.A. (Oxon.) will speak on "THE NATIONAL THEATRE". Before the lecture, general business will be dealt with:—
(1) Approval of accounts for 1934-35.
(2) Election of office-bearers for 1935-36.

Those who wish to have tea in the lecture-hall are asked to order it the day before, from the Matron of the Helena May Institute (Tel. 22160).

MRS. O. A. A. MACFADYEN,
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REMOVAL NOTICE.

The address of the above Society will, as from the 1st November, 1935, be at Bank of East Asia Building, eighth floor, 10, Des Voeux Road Central, Victoria.

RADIO BROADCAST

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8.45 a.m. Weekly Newsletter and Sports Summary.
9.55 a.m. Close down.
Transmission 6
(G.S.B., G.S.C. and G.S.L.)
11 a.m. Big Ben. Music of the English Countryside. Winifred Davis (Soprano) and Leonard Isaac (Alto).
Greenwich Time Signal at 3.30 a.m.
11.45 a.m. Weekly Newsletter and Sports Summary.
12.55 p.m. Close down.
Transmission 2
(G.S.B., G.S.H. and G.S.C.)
7 p.m. Big Ben. Gerald Porter-Brown, the Organ of the Royal Cinema, Torquay.
7.15 p.m. Haydn's "The Four Seasons".
7.45 p.m. "The Empress".
Greenwich Time Signal at 12.00 Noon.
8.30 p.m. The B.M.C. Midland Orchestra.
8 p.m. The News.
9.20 p.m. Musical Interlude.
9.30 p.m. An Organ Recital by Sir Walter Aldrich.
9.45 p.m. Close down.
Transmission 3
(G.S.B., G.S.H. and G.S.C.)
G.S.B. 12.1 a.m.
10 a.m. Big Ben. Arthur Salabury and his Orchestra.
10.45 p.m. "The B.C. Northern Ireland Orchestra."
11.30 p.m. "Looking Backwards".
12.45 a.m. The Hungarian Gipsy Band.
12.30 a.m. The News.
12.45 a.m. Close down.
Transmission 4
(G.S.B. and G.S.D.)
PART I
1.15 a.m. Big Ben. The B.M.C. Dance Orchestra.
2 a.m. The News.
2.15 a.m. Light Music.
2.30 a.m. The B.M.C. Northern Orchestra.
Greenwich Time Signal at 7 p.m.
3.15 a.m. The Radio Follies.
4 a.m. "Turn-Of-Mind".
4.40 a.m. Close down.
PART II
4.55 a.m. Debroy Samers and his Band.
5.30 a.m. "High Spots"—No. 2.
5.45 a.m. The News.
Greenwich Time Signal at 10 p.m.
6 a.m. The B.M.C. Orchestra (Section B).
6.45 a.m. Close down.

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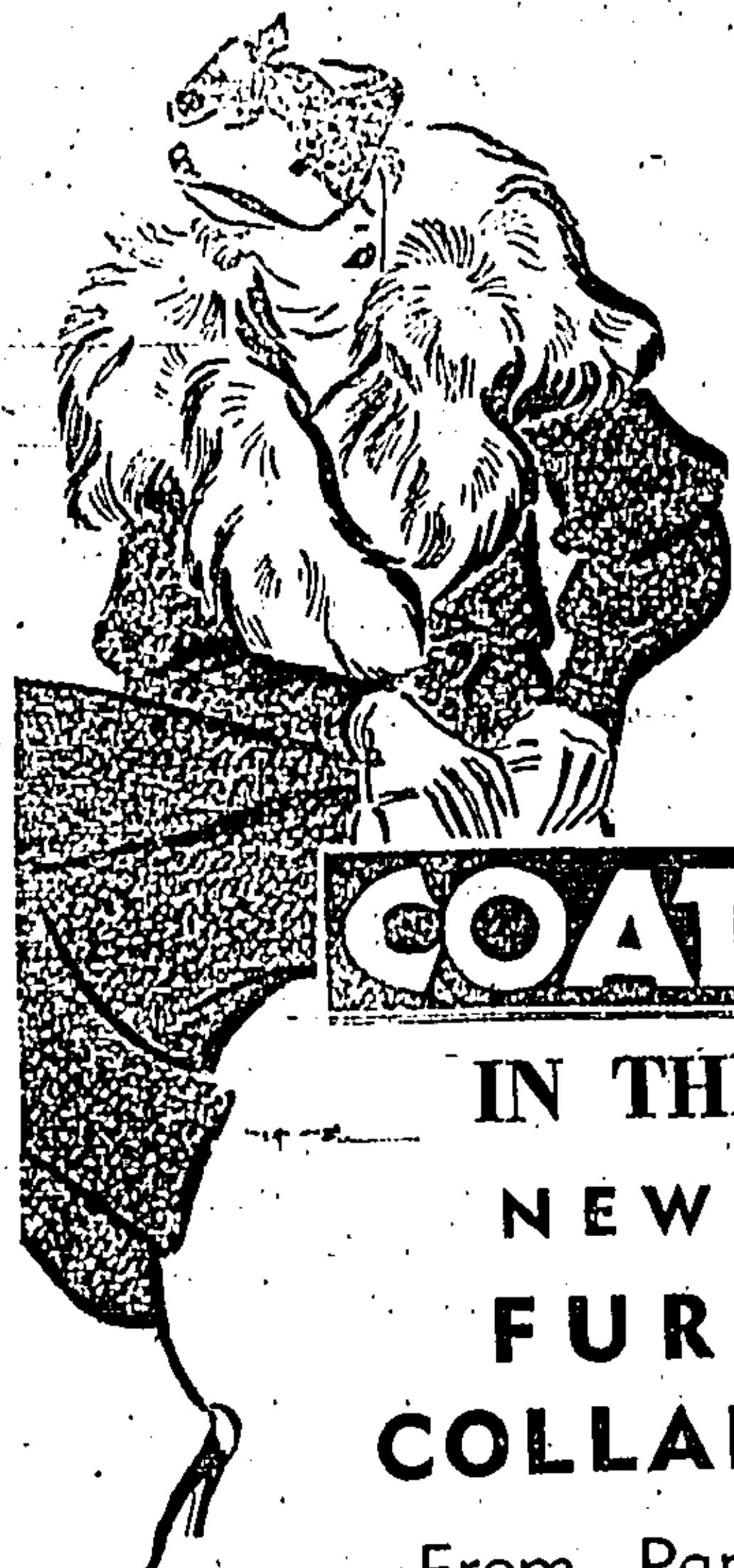
LADY'S FLAT ENTERED

An outrageous attempt at robbery with violence took place early yesterday morning at 20, Nathan Road. Two men, one armed with a knife, gained entrance to the residence on the first floor of Miss Consuelo Rivera, by a ruse and attacked her and her attendants. Fortunately, the amah managed to escape and raise the alarm, frightening the intruders, who thereupon left the apartment and made off.

Miss Rivera was in her bedroom at about 7.15 a.m. preparing to go to church when the door bell rang and her amah brought in a letter, saying that two men were waiting outside. The name was indecipherable, though the address of the building could be read, so she told the amah to return it to the bearers. However, the men insisted that the letter was for her, and the amah came back, followed by the men, one of whom was carrying a paint pot. They said that they had come to whitewash the place.

Miss Rivera opened the letter and saw that it had the appearance of an official one, probably from the Sanitary Department, and that it was not intended for her. Again the letter was handed back and the men were told that there must have been a mistake. When Miss Rivera tried to close the door of her room they pushed it open and forced their way in. One of them seized her, and throwing her into the bed, held her down. She struggled desperately and the robber took a meat knife from his belt and cut her left hand, fortunately not seriously and almost tore an earring off her ear.

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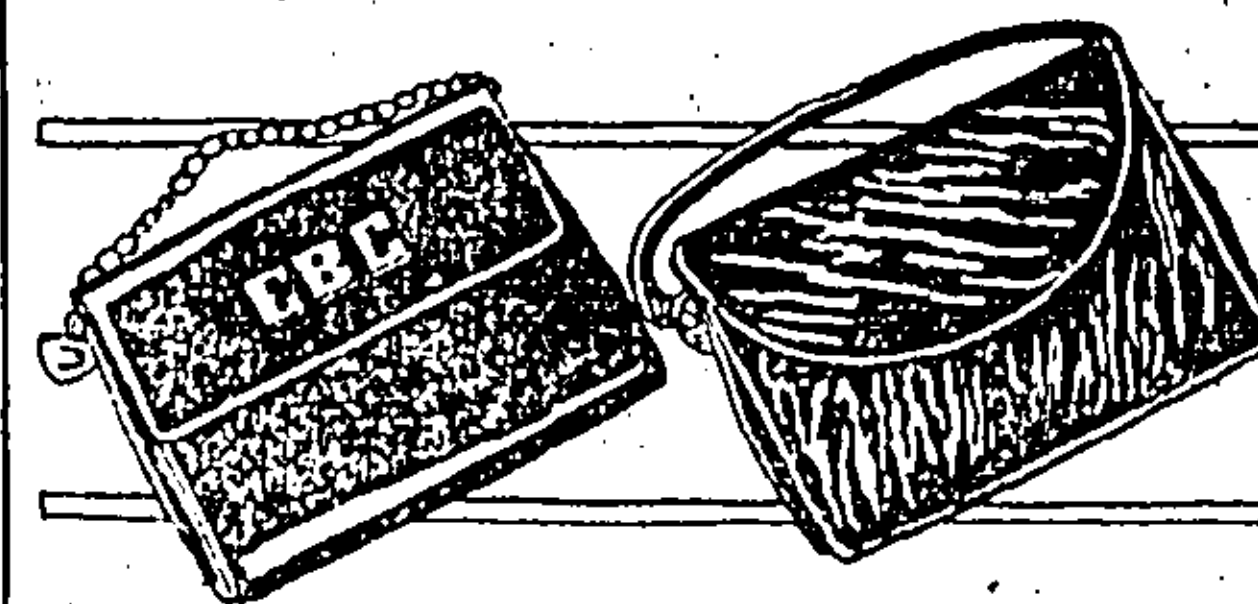
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Outside the apartment, on the landing, the two ruffians conferred for a moment and then made off in an unknown direction. Nothing was stolen, but the meat knife, the paint, a felt hat and a toy water pistol were left behind by the assailants.

POST OFFICE.

H.K. GOVERNMENT WIRELESS SERVICE

From the 4th day of November 1935, the charges for telegrams will be collected at the rate of Dollar 0.78 to equal Gold Franc 1.00.

PARCELS FOR CHINA

In future all parcels for China must be sealed before they can be accepted by the Post Office.

CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR PARCEL MAILS FOR GREAT BRITAIN

Christmas and New Year Parcel Mails for Great Britain will be closed in the General Post Office as follows:—

Steamer	Date of Closing	Date due at London
Somali	Noon, 8th November	16th December
Rawalpindi	5 p.m., 16th November	11th December

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INWARD MAILS

Straits and Air Mail ex Imperial Airways Service (London, 22nd October)		Agapenor		November 5.	
Shanghai	October	Agapenor	November 5.	November 5.	
Saigon	October	Bontekoo	November 5.	November 5.	
Haiphong	October	Canton	November 5.	November 5.	
Japan	October	Hawaii Maru	November 5.	November 5.	
U.S.A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai (Seattle, 10th October)		Pres. Grant	November 5.	November 5.	
Manila	October	Scharnhorst	November 5.	November 5.	
Shanghai and Europe via Siberia (London, 17th October)		Sphinx	November 5.	November 5.	
Japan	October	Bokuyo Maru	November 5.	November 5.	
Japan	October	Italy Maru	November 5.	November 5.	
Canada, U.S.A., Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B.C., 19th October)		Melbourne Maru	November 5.	November 5.	
Amoy	October	Empress of Asia	November 7.	November 7.	
Japan	October	Taiwan Maru	November 7.	November 7.	
Japan and Shanghai	October	Fushimi Maru	November 8.	November 8.	
Manila	October	General Pershing	November 8.	November 8.	
Straits	October	Hakusan Maru	November 8.	November 8.	
Straits and Europe via Negapatam (Letters and Papers) London, 10th October—and Air Mail ex Amsterdam Bandjeng Service (Amsterdam, 26th October)					
Japan	October	Hakusan Maru	November 8.	November 8.	
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 11th Oct.)		Pres. Polk	November 8.	November 8.	
Japan and Shanghai	October	Somali	November 8.	November 8.	
Australia and Manila	October	Taiwan Maru	November 8.	November 8.	
Japan	October	Toyooka Maru	November 8.	November 8.	
Shanghai	October	Tyndarus	November 8.	November 8.	
Shanghai	October	Conte Rosso	November 8.	November 8.	
Japan	October	Taiyo Maru	November 10.	November 10.	
Japan	October	Ginyo Maru	November 10.	November 10.	
Manila	October	Maru	November 11.	November 11.	
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 18th Oct.)		Pres. Pierce	November 11.	November 11.	
Japan and Manila	October	Tisareea	November 11.	November 11.	
Straits	October	Aeneas	November 11.	November 11.	
Calcutta and Straits	October	Takada	November 12.	November 12.	
Java	October	Tjibadak	November 13.	November 13.	
Calcutta and Straits	October	Kumsang	November 14.	November 14.	
Japan	October	Noto Maru	November 14.	November 14.	
Japan	October	Penang Maru	November 14.	November 14.	
Straits and Europe via Suez (Letters and Papers) London, 17th October—and London's Parcels—London, 10th October					
U.S.A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai (Seattle, 26th October)		Ranchi	November 14.	November 14.	
Japan and Shanghai	October	Persus	November 15.	November 15.	
		Pres. Jefferson	November 15.	November 15.	
		Rawalpindi	November 16.	November 16.	

OUTWARD MAILS

For	Per	Date and Time
Port Bayard, Holhow, Pakhoi	G. G. Paul Doumer	Mon., Nov. 4, 1 p.m.
Haiphong	Gausterkirk	Mon., Nov. 4, 1.20 p.m.
Shanghai and Europe via Siberia	Nanchang	Mon., Nov. 4, 4.30 p.m.
Tuesday.		
Letters for "Saigon—Marseilles Air Sphinx Mail Service" (Due Marseilles, 18th November).	G.P.O.	Tues., Nov. 5.
Reg., Nov. 5, 9.00 a.m.	Letters, Nov. 5, 9.00 a.m.	
Reg., Nov. 5, 9.00 a.m.	Letters, Nov. 5, 9.30 a.m.	
Batavia, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, Sphnx	Tjibadak	Tues., Nov. 5, 9.30 a.m.
*East and *South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles (Due Marseilles, 2nd December)	K.P.O.	Tues., Nov. 5.
Reg., Nov. 5, 9 a.m.	Reg., Nov. 5, 9.45 a.m.	
Letters, Nov. 5, 10 a.m.	Letters, Nov. 5, 10.30 a.m.	
Holhow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Szechuen	Tues., Nov. 5, 1 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, Hawaii Maru	Tues., Nov. 5, 2.30 p.m.	
East and South Africa		
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haitan	Tues., Nov. 5, 3 p.m.
Shanghai and Europe via Siberia Scharnhorst	Tues., Nov. 5, 4.30 p.m.	
Wednesday.		
Swatow via Swatow	Hopang	Wed., Nov. 6, 10.30 a.m.
Letters for "Imperial Airways Ser-Ajax" (Due London, 22nd November).	G.P.O.	Wed., Nov. 6.
Reg., Nov. 6, 11.30 a.m.	Reg., Nov. 6, Noon.	
Letters, Nov. 6, Noon.	Letters, Nov. 6, 12.30 p.m.	
Letters for "Bandjeng—Amsterdam Ajax Air Mail Service" (Due Amsterdam 18th November).	G.P.O.	Wed., Nov. 6.
Reg., Nov. 6, 11.30 a.m.	Reg., Nov. 6, Noon.	
Letters, Nov. 6, Noon.	Letters, Nov. 6, 12.30 p.m.	
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. Ajax and S. Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles (Due Marseilles, 6th December).	K.P.O.	Wed., Nov. 6.
Reg., Nov. 6, Noon.	Reg., Nov. 6, 12.45 p.m.	
Letters, Nov. 6, Noon.	Letters, Nov. 6, 1.30 p.m.	
Amoy	Tainan	Wed., Nov. 6, 3.30 p.m.
Manila	Pres. Grant	Wed., Nov. 6, 4.30 p.m.
Thursday.		
Australia and New Zealand via Melbourne Maru	Thurs., Nov. 7.	
Zealand	Thurs., Nov. 7, Noon.	
Letters, Nov. 7, 12.45 p.m.	Letters, Nov. 7, 1.30 p.m.	
Straits and Calcutta	Kutsang	Thurs., Nov. 7.
Parcels, Nov. 7, 1 p.m.	Letters, Nov. 7, 2 p.m.	
Manila	Emp. of Asia	Thurs., Nov. 7, 4.30 p.m.
Friday.		
Holhow	Muinam	Fri., Nov. 8, 11 a.m.
Holhow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Hupei	Fri., Nov. 8, 1 p.m.
Haiphong	Canton	Fri., Nov. 8, 2 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haining	Fri., Nov. 8, 3 p.m.
Formosa, Shanghai and Japan	Hakusan Maru	Fri., Nov. 8, 3.30 p.m.
Straits and Europe via Marseilles—Fushimi Maru	Pres. Polk	Fri., Nov. 8.
(Due Marseilles, 8th December)	K.P.O.	Fri., Nov. 8.
Reg., Nov. 8, 3.30 p.m.	Reg., Nov. 8, 4.15 p.m.	
Letters, Nov. 8, 4.30 p.m.	Letters, Nov. 8, 5 p.m.	

H. K. A "CHATTEL"?

LABOUR'S
UNIQUE
SUGGESTIONHAND COLONIES
OVER TO LEAGUE

MR. MALCOLM MacDONALD, Secretary for the Colonies, deprecated in strong terms the suggestion that Hongkong and other Colonies should be handed over to the League of Nations as Mandates, when he spoke at a luncheon of the West African Dinner Club last month in honour of Sir Bernard Bourdillon, Governor-designate of Nigeria.

"A certain eminent person, at one of the recent Party conferences," he remarked, "said that, in his view, all the Crown Colonies should be handed over to the League of Nations as Mandates."

"Such talk tends to do grave harm to the peoples of the Colonies. It creates uncertainty as to their territories' future; it produces a sense of lack of security; it discourages people, for instance, from putting capital into those countries, and therefore prejudices their development."

"It is not merely the economic development that is prejudiced, but also the political and educational development of the peoples there, and the expansion of medical and other social services, for all these services are expensive, and must be founded on a basis of material prosperity."

Content To Stay

"To talk of the Crown Colonies being handed over wholesale as Mandates to the League," the Colonial Secretary continued, "is to presume that the peoples of the Colonies can be treated as mere chattels, that we need not consult their own wishes."

"But we are bound to consult their wishes, and I have no doubt that, if we were to do so, we should find the vast majority of them content and anxious to stay in their present situation."

"To say that implies no criticism of the Mandate System. In fact, the sentiment of the people in the Colonies is due to our having for a long time past in our Colonial Government practised the very principles laid down by the League of Nations for the government of Mandated territories."

"We have acted primarily as trustees for the welfare and happiness of the peoples in the Colonies, and they have a lively appreciation of the many benefits which they have received under the British Crown."

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It is the island of Tonga, and its Crown Prince Taufa Ahau who is visiting Melbourne for the Methodist Church centenary, has been telling *Austral News* about it.

Every boy on attaining the age of 16 is given a grant of 8½ acres of land and a village home; in other words the means to make a living among his 30,000 fellow islanders.

In place of income tax, a payment of £2 a year is levied on every male adult, and this entitles him to free medical, dental and hospital treatment for himself and his family. To augment the revenue, there are customs duties and a tax on motor cars. There are free primary schools and two colleges.

Prince Taufa Ahau, not yet 18, is more than six feet tall, and has already won distinction as a hurdler, weight putter and Rugby footballer. He is studying law.

DEATH
STALKS
IN ADOWA

ANTI-NANKING REVOLT



One of the first Italian casualties in the war in Ethiopia. Stretcher bearers bringing a wounded comrade into emergency hospital after the capture of Adowa, a defeat inflicted on the Ethiopians with the loss of less than a dozen Italian lives. Other pictures on page 11.

MADCAP ADVENTURE
AROUND THE WORLD
IN 25-FOOT SHIPMOTHER WILL ACCOMPANY U. S.
STUDENT TO HONGKONG

San Francisco, Oct. 20.

Undaunted by buffeting winds and failing equipment Mrs. Wilma Madden, 36, and her stepson, Ward, 21, plan to continue a "mad adventure" cruise around the world in a 25-foot sailing sloop.

They were scheduled to leave early in November for Los Angeles on the second leg of a tour they hope will take them to South America, Africa, Europe, the South Seas, Hongkong and China.

The trip is designed in part to furnish "background" for Ward, who has ambitions to be an author.

Filming A
Battle With
Microbes As
Rival Armies

Paris, Oct. 20.

Films that might be announced in the most startling terms on the hoardings are described by *Paris-Saïr*.

"Five million actors. Three hundred stars. The most remarkable reconstruction of a great battle ever seen on the screen. Real fighting, with blood and victims," are only some of the claims for them that might be made.

The warriors are red and white blood corpuscles, and the battles are fought against microbes.

The films are staged by Dr. Comandon in a laboratory at the house at Garches where Pasteur died. The "stars" often have to undergo a certain make-up to make them catch the camera.

"And although I sign no gringely contracts, my stars are dear, very dear," Dr. Comandon explained, bringing his different cultures within the glare of the spotlight.

25 Years' Work

And then he shot a film. Bacilli of foot-and-mouth disease prepared an underhand attack on innocent red globules and an army of white globules.

As in every good film, the forces of law and order triumphed, the bacilli beat a retreat, and the white globules, advancing in serried lines, surrounded them, and finally dealt the deathblow.

It has taken Dr. Comandon 25 years to bring his work to such perfection.

The "field of battle" in the film was only half a cubic millimetre of blood, which had to be enlarged ten thousand times.

"We generally keep down to six or seven thousand times," said Dr. Comandon, "but it is possible to go up to two hundred thousand."

Dr. Comandon is now undertaking a series of studies on the evolution of cancerous cells, which are so remarkable that Dr. Carrel has asked him to go to New York to collaborate with him at the Rockefeller Institute. —*Reuter*.

The first 1,000-mile leg of the journey, from Seattle to San Francisco took more than a month to complete and gave them a hint of the trouble they may encounter before they have achieved their goal of circumnavigation of the world.

Management of the sloop *Teeni* has given the two sailors all the experience they have had in navigation. Neither had set foot aboard a sailing vessel until they started from Seattle down the Pacific coast. Their knowledge of navigation was gleaned from a two-months' intensive study of books before they left Seattle.

Twice, before they safely dropped anchor at San Francisco, their 10 h.p. auxiliary motor failed and heavy seas forced them to call for help.

Near Astoria, in Oregon, they lost anchor and the boat was finally towed to port for a week's repairs.

Again, near Eureka, a storm forced them to hoist a signal sheet to the mast. The Coast guard brought them to harbour through a sea so rough that they had to tie themselves into their berths.

Will Set Record If—

The two realise that if they succeed in what they smilingly call their "mad adventure" they will set a record. Previously the smallest boat to circle the world was a 32-foot ship.

The "small, very charming cabin," as described by Mrs. Madden, contains two typewriters, in addition to such essentials as a sea water distilling outfit, 60 gallons of fuel, 60 gallons of fresh water, and provisions enough to last the adventurers four months.

Search for pirate treasure is included in their rather indefinite plans. They expect to stop at Cocos Island, off the coast of Costa Rica, for a while, where others have searched vainly for treasure, in the hope that they may be "lucky."

England—if their hopes are realised—will be the longest stop. They plan to drop anchor for a full year while Ward, a recent graduate of the University of Washington, takes a post graduate course at Oxford.

Speed is not a part of the plan. "Maybe it will take the rest of our lives," said Mrs. Madden. "We plan to live the life of the peasants in many countries, to earn our living by plough and shovel and thus really learn about the countries." —*United Press*.

SINGER CLAIMS
\$20,000 FOR
NORMANDIE'S
'VIBRATION'

New York, Oct. 15. NASTIA POLIAOVA, a Russian singer, has filed an action in New York claiming \$20,000 damages from the French Line, owners of the *Normandie*.

She claims to have been a first-class passenger in the ship, and says that its vibration caused an internal injury which necessitated her undergoing an operation.

Officials of the line ridicule the assertion. —*United Press*.

WHAT IS AN
ELEPHANT'S
MAN-POWER?

An elephant can, if it tries, spring more than a little surprise. It can shift trees, and lift trees. Or chase you and place you right up in the air by its eyes.

Miss Hanna, a Siamese elephant now in Japan, has been doing her best to vindicate this English nursery rhyme; but English experts complain that her best is not as good as it should be.

In a recent "tug-of-war" in the Tokyo Zoo, she was able to hold her own with only 55 men, and that by collapsing on her knees.

From inquiries, it appears that, while it is not good for an elephant to indulge in such direct trials of strength, a higher standard would be expected of any large, full-grown elephant.

An official of the London Zoo thought that 55 men was not many—but added that the history of the Zoo threw no direct light on what might be expected of an elephant in this way.

Mr. Bertram Mills

Miss Hanna did not look a very big elephant. From her photograph, he stated, he would guess that she was about 22-25 years old and only about three parts grown.

"I have seen elephants," he added, "that 100 men could not hold; and once a big elephant gets going I doubt if 500 men could stop her. Obviously it depends a great deal on both the size of the elephant and how the pull started."

An elephant may weigh anything from one to five tons, and a tug-of-war is, after all, very largely a matter of weight against weight."

Mr. Mills also considered that the proper tug-of-war rules, as followed at the Military Tournament at Olympia, had been obeyed before any precise value was attached to such a performance.

Mr. George Sanger, also of circus fame, added the view that a big elephant ought to be able to pull 100 men with ease.

AUTONOMY
MOVE IN
N. CHINAREBELS STILL SEEK
A STRONG MAN

Tientsin, Nov. 1.

The movement for an autonomous North China government is being hampered by lack of a Chinese leader with enough ability and prestige to hold the many conflicting elements together without plunging five northern provinces into a maelstrom of civil war and unrest.

Japanese take it for granted that the Big Five Chinese generals in North China will join the revolt against Nanking but they also know that the Big Five—Yen Hsi-shan, Sung Chieh-yuan, Fu Tao-yi, Chin Teh-chun and Shang Chen—could never work harmoniously together and that it is imperative to have some "strong man," more than a mere figurehead, to keep them from tearing at each other's throats once they are free from Nanking's nominal control.

In this group are two leaders stronger than the others, General Yen Hsi-shan, Pacification Commander of Shanai Province, who controls Fu Tao-yi, governor of Suiyuan Province; and General Sung Chieh-yuan, who controls Chin Teh-chun, governor of Chahar. General Shang Chen, governor of Hebei, is something of a weak sister. General Han Fu-chu, governor of Shanlung, is a powerful leader, but is something of a question mark to the Japanese as he is satisfied with Nanking as long as Nanking leaves him alone. The Japanese nevertheless figure that Shanglung will be with Chahar, Hebei, Shanai and Suiyuan provinces when the break comes against Nanking.

Not Committed

According to one member of the old Chihli Clique which ruled North China before Chiang Kai-shek's rise to power and glory and who claims to have been present when these matters were discussed between Japanese and Chinese leaders, nothing has been yet definitely decided.

The Japanese have not yet committed themselves to the North China separatist movement and will be content with Nanking's nominal control if Nanking grants Japan's wishes, which are virtual demands.

These include Japanese exploitation of mines and communications, purchase of property, reduction of tariffs on Japanese imports, recognition of Manchukuo and Japanese aid in fighting Communists on the frontiers.

If these demands are not granted, then Japan will not only support but foster independence in North China and see that the new government will have what the Japanese love to call "sincerity" in their attitude of friendship towards Japan.

Japanese are not unanimous in their views on the issue, and there is some bickering and dispute among their own ranks. One group believes Japan can obtain what she wants eventually, without riding a tiger. Another group, which seems to be in the majority, demands action and a new state.

Older and wiser heads counsel patience until all preliminary problems to the establishment of a new state, can be worked out.

This informant said his observations of the trend and the present status of affairs leads him to the conclusion that it is only a matter of time until independence is declared and achieved. —*United Press*.

BELGIANS BEAT
BRITONS AT
BEER-DRINKING

Munich, Oct. 20.

The Englishman, the Australian and the German stand at the bottom of the class when it comes to drinking alcohol, according to Nazi statistics.

The list shows that the Frenchman and the Swiss drink on the average, five times more every year than any one of them.

Here are the figures per head per year in litres (about 1½ pints):

France and Switzerland . . . 5
Spain, Sweden, Czechoslovakia . . . 4
Hungary and Austria . . . 3½
Belgium, Bulgaria, Holland . . 3
England, Australia, Germany 1

When it comes to wine drinking, France is again in the lead with an average yearly consumption per head of 100 litres.

As for beer, Germany has to take second place to Belgium where an average of over 100 litres is absorbed. —*Reuter*.

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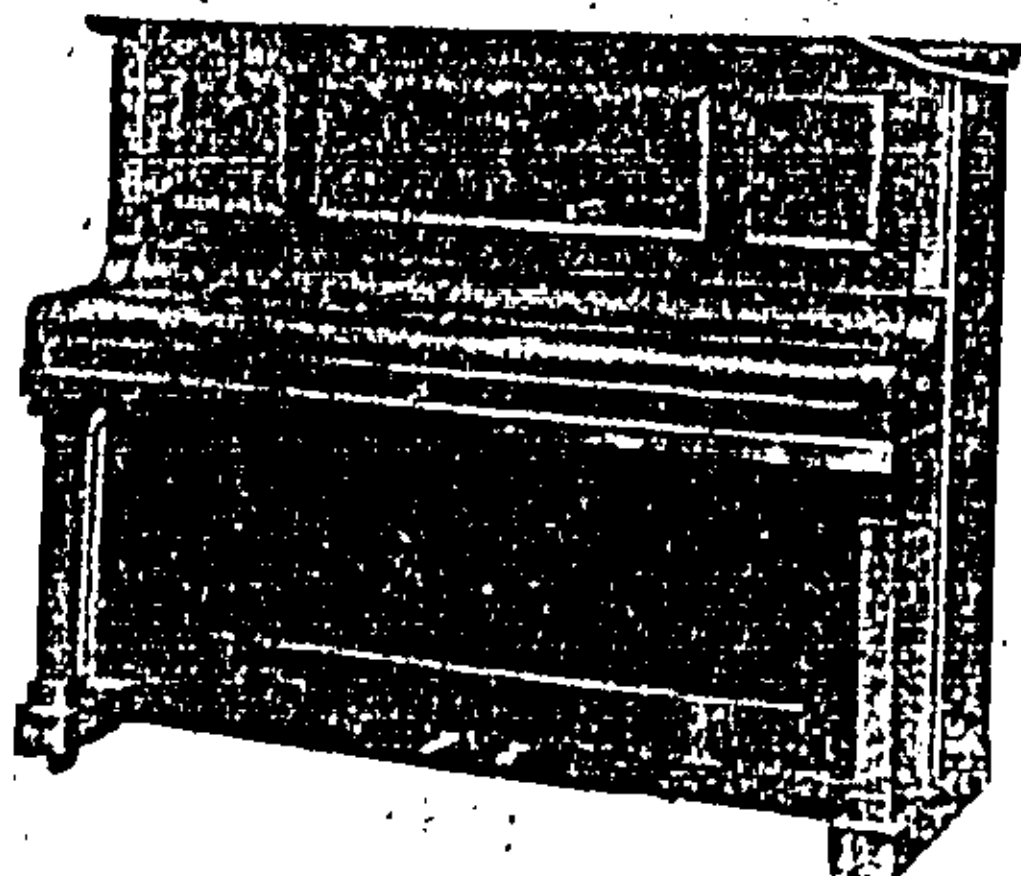
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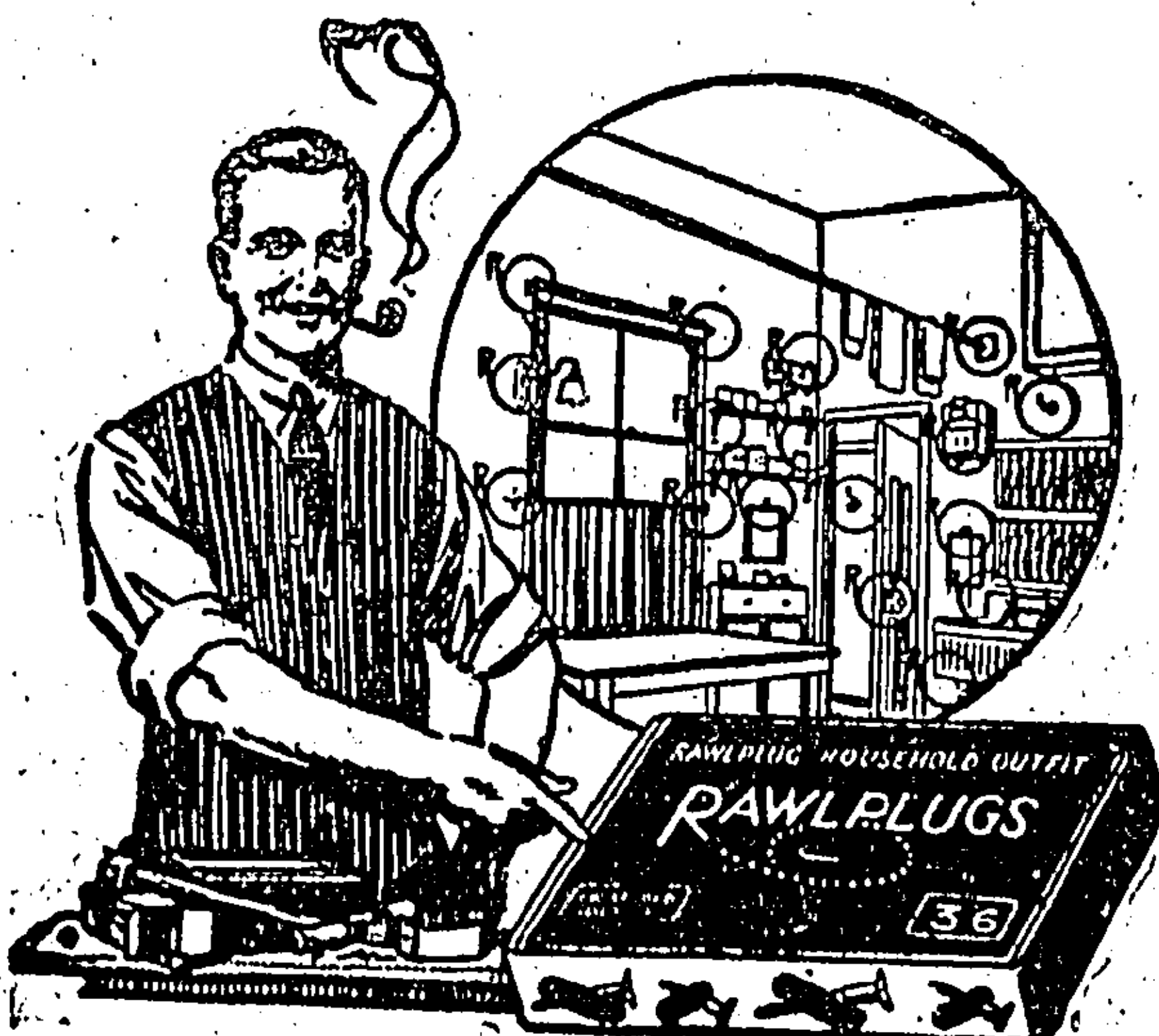
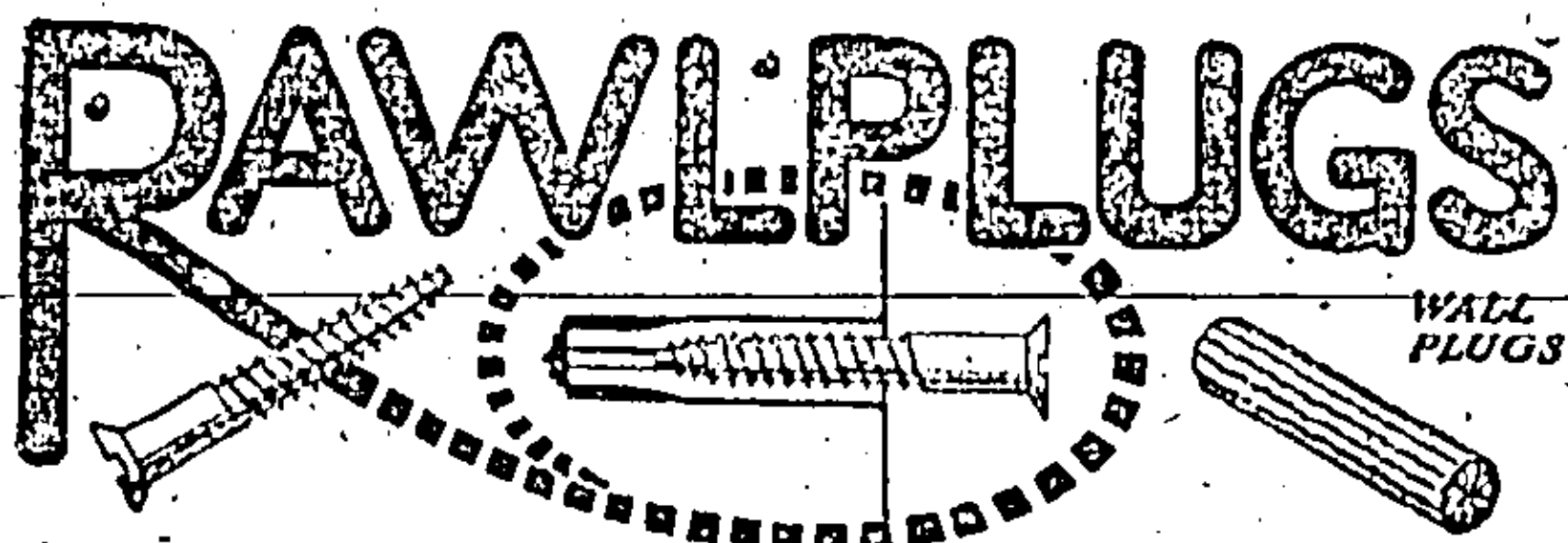
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ADVANCE STARTS

ITALIANS HEADING FOR MAKALE

Rome, Nov. 2. As a result of the past week's activities on the war fronts in East Africa the Italians in the north appear to be still a considerable distance from Makale. There has also been no general advance, though the vanguards of all three army corps have pushed forward.

Those of the 1st Army Corps on the left, under General Santini, have reached the Malnee Wells, less than half way between Adigat and Makale. The native guerilla in the centre, have reached Haufen, a market town in fertile country, which is important both from political and military viewpoints. The 2nd Army Corps, on the right, has sent advance guards along the main caravan route from Adowa to Makale and by this time they have probably reached the Ueri River.

General De Bono appears to be planning an advance shortly to a line extending from the Danakil desert on the left roughly along the Gheva River southward to Makale, and then along the Takaze River to the point where it meets the Eritrean frontier.

The line, when finally secured, will include Makale and constitute a gigantic bulge into the Ethiopian territory. It will probably take two months to consolidate.—*Reuter*.

Capital As Goal

Rome, Nov. 2. In a communique received here today General De Bono reports that intensive reconnaissances have been made in the Haramat and Cherrata zones with a view to the immediate resumption of operations.

It is reported that some troops are already on the move thus officially confirming the long awaited drive on Makale with Addis Ababa as the Italians' eventual goal.—*United Press*.

Trucks on Move

Asmara, Nov. 2. Long columns of trucks have begun moving towards the front in an atmosphere indicative of an early resumption of an offensive.

The occupation of Makale is expected at any moment, while the aerial activity, led by Count Ciano, is greatly intensified.—*United Press*.

Advance Starts

Rome, Nov. 3. A message from Asmara states that the Italian advance towards Makale has been resumed. The units involved in this manoeuvre are a Blackshirt Battalion, Askaris, artillery and irregulars, and 1,600 men commanded by Ras Gussa. They comprise the 1st Army Corps under General Priolo.

It is not stated whether the 2nd Army Corps from Adowa is also on the move.—*Reuter*.

A *United Press* message states that 125,000 men are taking part in the advance.

Start at Dawn

Rome, Nov. 3. A message from Asmara states that a general drive opening the second phase of the Italian occupation of Ethiopia started shortly before 4 a.m. this (Sunday) morning.

The Italians' objective is the occupation of the southern portion of Tigre Province.—*United Press*.

Selassie's Highway

Asmara, Nov. 3. The occupation of Makale will be of tremendous importance to the Italians for it will place them within easy striking distance of the highway connecting Tigre Province with Addis Ababa.

This road is ironically referred to as "Selassie's 250 mile highway" which will cause his downfall.—*United Press*.

Italy's Losses

Rome, Nov. 1. It is officially announced that 193 officers and men of the Italian army have died in East Africa between January 1 and October 31. Of these five were killed in action.—*Reuter*.

In addition 198 labourers have died since January 1.

No mention is made of the reported massacre of a supply train by Ethiopian warriors two days ago, and it would appear that the

SUCCESSFUL FETE

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL FUNCTION

The annual bazaar and *al fresco* fete organized by the Society of St. Vincent de Paul in aid of needy folk of the Colony was held yesterday in the grounds at the Rosary Church, Chatham Road. The Bazaar attracted many hundreds of visitors imbued with the carnival spirit, the animated scene being continued, under electric lights of all colours, to 10 p.m. by which time most of the stalls were depleted.

For ways and means of capturing the elusive dollar, while making the extraction a pleasure, it is difficult to imagine a more diversified and effective campaign than that with which the visitor came into contact once fairly within the grounds of the Bazaar.

He was besieged with plans to "take a chance of getting a bottle of champagne for ten cents," was told that he could win a turkey, and what must have been more to the point as the sky darkened and appetites grew keen, was offered sizzling "hot dogs" and other delicacies. Souvenirs, surprise packets, finishing games, American Lottery, and numerous other attractive side-shows and entertainments were there to be bought or tried. Dolls and other suitable presents were on display while the willing helpers did all that could be desired.

Souvenir Stall: Run by the St. Mary's Ladies Association, Kowloon Tong. The following ladies are in charge: Mrs. A. Alves, Mrs. E. d'Amato, Miss M. Rosa Pereira, Mrs. A. Silva, Mrs. D. Romedios, Mrs. J. Xavier, Mrs. J. Sousa, Mrs. Lawrence.

Little Flower Stall, comprising the following departments:—Surprise Cake, in charge of Miss C. Consalves; Doll Stall, Miss A. Cordeiro; Dice Stall, Miss C. Xavier; Dollar Stall, Mrs. J. Silva; Card Stall, Miss R. Xavier; Surprise Packet, Miss W. Silva.

St. Joan of Arc C.Y.L.A. Stall, run by the Chinese Catholic Young Ladies Society, Hongkong, and consisting of the following departments:—Fishing Game, in charge of Miss E. Chow; Lighting Candles, Misses D. Leung and Y. Yiu; Hitting Balls, Miss J. Chan; American Lottery, Miss J. Wong; Sale of Fancy Articles, Miss May Chan.

Ten Cents Stall run by Mr. J. Ribeiro and helpers. Children of Mary Stall, Miss F. Dixon and helpers.

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C. Y. W. Society Stall, run by the St. Mary's Chinese Catholic Young Ladies Association.

Photo Stall, run by the members of the Photographic Society of Wah Yan College, under the direction of Mr. P. Dragon.

Donation Received

The S. C. M. Post on Saturday received a donation of \$5 to the St. Vincent de Paul Society from Sgt-Major A. Steer.

Acknowledgments

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul acknowledges with grateful appreciation and thanks the receipt of the following donations and gifts to the Fete on November 3.

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St. Francis Convent, for various articles.
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Messrs. The Central Trading Co. for 2 doz. bottles whiskies & wines.

Messrs. Compagnie Optique for 1/2 doz. quarts Mumm's champagne.

Messrs. L. Randon & Co. for 1 case Hennessy brandy, 1 1/2 doz. pencils, and 10 boxes miniature brandy.

Messrs. H. Ruttenjee & Sons for one case Hongkong Beer.

Italians have not lost a single man on any front since the fighting around Adowa.

"The Real Thing," Rome, Nov. 3. "The whole real thing at last," is the description which Italian press cables from Asmara give of the advance of the Northern Army.—*Reuter*.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE

Sunday, Oct. 27.—Mr. N. E. Young, M.C., and Mr. Gerald F. Tyrrell left Government House.

Monday, Oct. 28.—His Excellency received the Honourable George H. Dorn, Secretary of War for the United States of America.

His Excellency, attended by Captain W. J. R. Cragg, A.D.C., returned the call of the Secretary of War on board the U.S.S. Chester.

His Excellency, attended by Captain W. J. R. Cragg, A.D.C., was the guest at a luncheon party at the Shek-O Country Club, given by Mr. and Mrs. Lambert Dunbar, in honour of the Secretary of War and Mrs. George H. Dorn.

His Excellency, attended by Captain W. J. R. Cragg, A.D.C., was present at a dinner party given by the American Consul-General and Mrs. Charles L. Hoover at the Peninsula Hotel, in honour of the Secretary of War and Mrs. George H. Dorn.

Tuesday, Oct. 29.—His Excellency received Commander Albano de Oliveira.

Captain W. J. R. Cragg, A.D.C., on behalf of His Excellency, returned the call on board the Portuguese Gunboat Macau.

His Excellency, attended by Captain W. J. R. Cragg, A.D.C., was present at the Kowloon Cricket Club to witness the professional exhibition tennis matches given by M. Henri Cochet.

His Excellency gave a dinner party in honour of the Secretary of War and Mrs. George H. Dorn at Government House. The following were also present:

His Excellency Major-General F. S. and Mrs. Thackeray, His Honour Sir Atholl and Lady MacGregor, Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Hoover, Brigadier-General Greed R. Cox, Captain J. H. Abbott, Mrs. Harry and Miss Cootes, Mr. and Mrs. Lambert Dunbar, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Taggart, Mr. Lawrence E. Salisbury, Mr. James Dorn, Mr. M. N. Cootes and Mr. W. S. A. Clough-Taylor.

Wednesday, Oct. 30.—Miss Mary Smith left Government House.

His Excellency, attended by the personal staff, held an investiture at St. John's Ambulance Headquarters.

Thursday, Oct. 31.—His Excellency presided at a meeting of the Executive Council.

His Excellency Mr. N. L. Smith left Government House.

Sir W. T. Southern, K.C.E., C.M.G., and Lady Southern, O.B.E., resumed residence at Government House.

Friday, Nov. 1.—His Excellency Sir W. T. Southern, K.C.E., C.M.G., resumed the Administration of the Government.

His Excellency, Sir W. T. Southern, K.C.E., C.M.G., appointed Mr. J. H. B. Lee to be his Private Secretary, and Lieut. (Local Captain) W. J. R. Cragg, to be his Aide-de-Camp.

Saturday, Nov. 2.—Prof. and Mrs. W. I. Gerrard dined at Government House.

His Excellency, attended by Captain W. J. R. Cragg, A.D.C., and accompanied by Lady Southern, was present at the 11th Extra Race Meeting held at Happy Valley.

CHINA TO GO OFF SILVER

MANAGED CURRENCY PLAN

Shanghai, Nov. 3. The Chinese Government tonight issued an announcement on the currency situation reading as follows:—

The Chinese Government in order to conserve the currency reserves of the country and to effect lasting measures in currency and banking reform has decreed effective from to-morrow November 4, firstly, that bank notes issued by the three Government banks, namely the Central Bank of China, the Bank of China, and the Bank of Communications shall be full legal tender and the banknote reserves of the three banks shall be placed under unified control.

The notes of all other issuing banks will continue in circulation but will gradually be withdrawn and replaced by notes of the Central Bank.

No new notes are to be issued by these banks and all their unissued notes, as well as banknote reserves, are to be deposited with the Central Bank.

Secondly, all debts expressed in terms of silver shall be discharged by payment of legal tender and notes of the nominal amount due. Thirdly, all holders of silver will be required to exchange their silver for legal tender and notes.

Fourthly, the exchange value of the Chinese dollar will be kept stable at the present level and for this purpose the Government banks will buy and sell foreign exchange in unlimited quantities.

Banking Changes

The Government-owned Central Bank is to be re-organised as the Central Reserve Bank of China, and will be owned principally by the Banks and the general public, thus becoming an independent institution devoting itself chiefly to maintaining the stability of the nation's currency.

The Central Reserve Bank will hold reserves under the Banking System Act as a depository of all public funds, and will provide centralised re-discount facilities for other Banks, but will not undertake general commercial business.

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Plans are completed by which the national budget will be balanced within 18 months.

The Government is determined to avoid inflation and will take energetic measures to deal with speculation and attempts to bring about unwarranted increases in prices.—*Reuter*.

Position Summarized

Shanghai, Nov. 3. The Finance Ministry has made a statement, effective as from Monday, nationalising silver, announcing that the note issues of the Central Bank of China, the Bank of China and the Bank of Communications, be unified and serve as full legal tender while other banks' note issues will be gradually withdrawn.

It is stated that the Government Banks will buy and sell foreign exchange in unlimited quantities for the purpose of maintaining the present exchange value of the Chinese dollar.

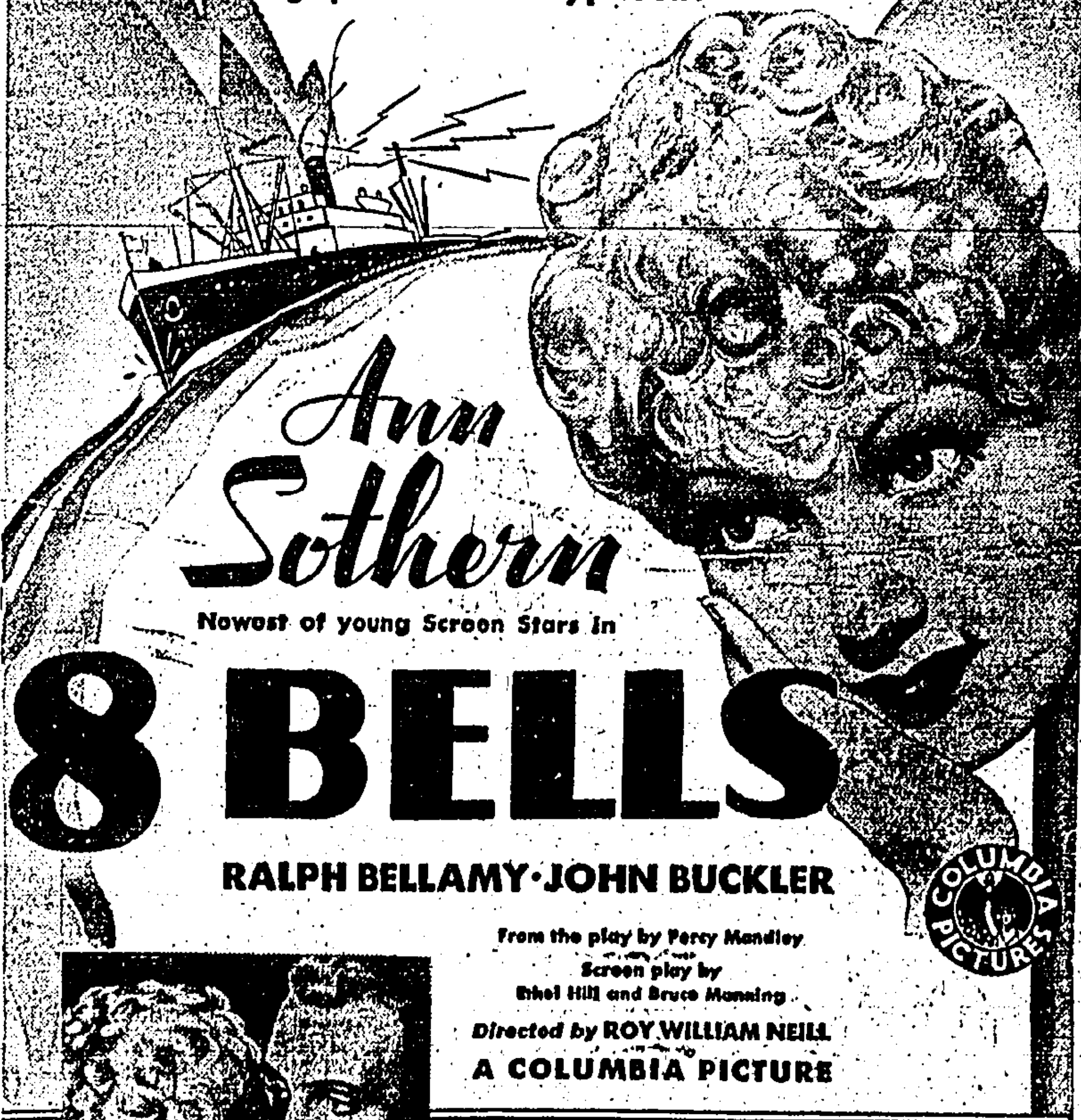
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It is announced that the Central Bank will be re-organised as the Central Reserve Bank owned principally by the Banks and the general public, and be devoted chiefly to maintaining the stability of the Nation's currency.

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A SIDELIGHT ON RESTRICTION

Owing to the agricultural depression in most countries to-day, sums equivalent to many millions of pounds are being paid in bonuses, subsidies and other forms of assistance to agriculture. This point was stressed by Mr. Stanley Bruce, High Commissioner for Australia, in the course of a discussion at the League of Nations Assembly some few weeks ago when he asked whether it would not be possible that these millions might be better employed in bringing about a greater consumption of products of the land, thereby improving the physical health of the people and the economic wealth of nations. The discussion was on the allied problems of agricultural depression and under-nourishment of the people. It was stated, during the debate, that evidence existed to show that by the increased consumption of certain foods, great improvement in national health and efficiency could be achieved, and in this connection the point is made that in the less developed countries, the great masses are living on a bare subsistence level. Even in the most advanced nations, there is a stratum of people unable to obtain adequate nourishment. Sir John Orr, Director of the Rowatt Institute, touching on this point, claims that no fewer than twenty millions of the British population are living on a diet which is deficient in food value, and it is pertinent in this connection to bear in mind that the State is involved in heavy expenditure in the treatment of disease, including that due to bad feeding. Cheap food of the right kinds would undoubtedly enable a lower expenditure on the nation's health services. Lord de la Warr, Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry of Agriculture, has expressed doubts as to the wisdom of the policy of restriction. Speaking of restriction of imports by tariffs and quotas as a solution of the agricultural problems, he pertinently asks whether these measures have not had the result of decreasing the consumption of food, to the loss not only of the consumer but of the farmer as well. Both on health grounds and on economic grounds, he says, limitation of

NOTES OF THE DAY FILM FANDOM GROWS UP

A great concession has just been made to the film-going public by one of Hollywood's leading personalities. He admits that they may now be said to have grown up. Therefore it has been decided by the intellectuals who cater for so much of the leisure of the British people that films in the future shall be more sophisticated. There will be less labouring of the obvious; audiences will be given credit for a little intelligence, and not treated as a solid mass of low-brows and nitwits. They will even be encouraged to use their imaginations a little more. Many incidents of the films that used to be deemed essential to their comprehension by the groundlings will now be left out as superfluous. Thanks apparently to the sedulous tuition of Hollywood, audiences have become quicker in the uptake. All this is very comforting, even complimentary. The torch of intellect lit in California has at last penetrated the primeval gloom of the British jungle. But, after all, was it not the Hollywood magnates who themselves had become the slaves of mental obsolescence, blindly following certain conventional lines of campaign while all the time their millions of patrons were wondering when it would dawn on them that the time had come for a change of method? The success of various British films in which the points are not heavily underlined and the audience is given credit for perception certainly supports the theory. The film director quoted above admits proudly that he has not had a holiday for seven years. Now, if he and his kind would shake off the slavery of the machine more frequently, and form new "contacts," with a view to ascertaining what ordinary people think of their efforts, the long overdue improvement in the generality of American films might at last get under weigh. It is much better to overrate than to underrate the intelligence of one's audience. Hollywood's policy of "safely first" should have been down for revision long ago.

A VICEROY'S WISE ADVICE

The system of democratic government about to be introduced into India has found a sensible advocate in Lord Willingdon, the British Viceroy in that country. Lord Willingdon has been pointing out that only by working the reforms can Indians establish a successful claim to their extension. Referring in the legislative Assembly at Simla to recent Hindu-Muslim disturbances of the public peace, Lord Willingdon said: "No system of parliamentary government can be expected to work successfully and for the benefit of the people as a whole without the existence of a spirit of accommodation and willingness on the part of all sections to prefer the wider interests of the entire body-politic to the narrower ones of their own particular group." The advice is well timed. The existing Indian legislature has just refused to pass an emergency bill giving to the new administration special powers for maintaining order in such circumstances as those which the Hindu-Muslim riots created. These powers, therefore, have had to be introduced by British authority. It would be premature to draw any conclusions adverse to the new system from the incident that has occurred. It is nevertheless well that the implications of such a happening should be recognised at an early stage. It will be by governing itself in smaller affairs that India will establish its claim to control of those greater.

supply, if carried too far, must result in general impoverishment. The statements quoted, which could be supplemented by others of a like character, serve to show a danger which is apt to be overlooked when applying measures in the hope of bettering the agricultural industry. What is more, they point to the need of a real national food policy being devised and put into operation.

WAR OF HAND AGAINST MACHINE



THE position of the Italian army of East Africa is analogous to that of our own country when operating in South Africa in the Boer War. The Italian plan is based on a short campaign ending before the next rains begin.

Supplies have been accumulated in the two Italian East African colonies sufficient to make the force at least semi-independent over a period of any large shipments through the Suez Canal. The strategy of the campaign evolves from this condition. Decisive results must be obtained within a time limit whose ultimate end is the fall of the rains in the early part of 1936.

It is idle to assume any close knowledge of the plans framed by the Italian Commander-in-Chief, a most able strategist with a tactical reputation still to make. But his intentions are revealed by progressive action, and the little we have seen to date indicates a broad outline.

Briefly, the assumption is that his main attack is in the north from Eritrea, with a holding movement in the south Italian Somaliland.

The slower movement in the south has the effect of tying down a large part of the Abyssinian army against the threat from that quarter and keeping it well away from the chance of any quick junction to aid the defence in the north when heavily pressed.

There are alternative uses for the force in the south. If the northern advance on Addis Ababa is held up in mountainous country, the southern force would press forward to afford relief by a new thrust towards the capital.

THERE is one other condition in the strategic field. The Italian army is divided into halves by the neutral territories of British and French Somaliland, and as a whole has no centre. Assuming that the large force of, perhaps, 180,000 is in the north an objective for it will be to send a flank force towards the railway line and communications form a centre which would connect with troops sent from the south, and so make a link-up. Troops of this northern flank force are already moving through Aussa along the French frontier.

The southern connecting link, moving near the British border, has not been reported, but this is natural, as the distance is greater and movement slower and determined by the advance of the southern force as a protection.

The formation of a central force may, therefore, be expected to come from the north at first, and the force may get astride the railway line which connects Addis Ababa with the French seaport of Djibouti. The railway line is important, if it can be secured undamaged, for transport for a central attack on the capital.

There is assumption in this, as the French have railway rights, and the two halves of the army might operate without a centre as independent bodies. This is unlikely, as the centre must be cleared.

The current operations in the north have taken the form of a reconnaissance in force and the sentimental capture of Adowa (which town is off the true route) to avenge the defeat sustained in 1896. For some time the Italians can make use of their mechanised equipment, but as the advance goes on into the hill region more dependence will fall to infantry and mule-carried light artillery.

The work, in short, will resemble operations on the Indian North-West Frontier, which naturally will have been closely studied in relation to the phase where motor power declines in value and the queen arm of the old battles, infantry, comes into its own.

But under modern conditions the troops will be supported by heavy artillery firing from the back areas and covered at all times by aircraft.

NOW as to the Abyssinian defence:

The mountains are the chief ally of the 750,000 soldiers, of whom one half are in the North. They have European engineers and artillerymen who know all that the Indian hills can teach them. They have laid out defences in depth which are manned by machine-guns. Hill-posted machine-guns are a great menace, since tanks cannot get at them.

The northern area round the capital is reported to be filled with the pick of the Abyssinian infantry armed with modern rifles, as also must the ammunition be. But the individual Abyssinian is a first-class marksman who does not waste ammunition, using one round on a certain mark always.

When Abyssinia is drawn from her prepared defences, the issue of prolonged resistance will depend on the correct use of these marksmen. If, because of the loss of prestige by retreat, it is decided to use men in masses, then the Italian task will be the more easy, with big targets for their modern weapons.

If, on the other hand, guerrilla warfare is adopted, the rains might intervene before the conquest of the country, as distinct from mere occupation, could be made. Guerilla warfare is, I know, second nature to the Ethiopian, and he will want it, raiding the columns and communications from the many own treks after the latter gentleman.

On balance it may be anticipated that, if the Abyssinians do not fight in mass but preserve their men and ammunition, the Italians may not have completed their task within the period of the dry season.

Moreover, guerrilla tactics are best in the absence of modern artillery, the few modern Abyssinian guns being light ones and anti-aircraft weapons.

One may anticipate a guerrilla policy being adopted after some single defeat in mass. Reasons for adopting it are prolonged residence, giving the Italians the maximum of difficulties; the avoidance of presenting targets for aerial bombing; and the chance of using the Abyssinian horsemen.

An indication of policy is to be found in the fact that the Abyssinians have formed a large cavalry force, estimated at 70,000 men. They are natural horsemen, can live on the country, and are riflemen as well as swordsmen. Part of the force is camely carrying rifle and lance (native spear).

A force of this size could carry a raiding campaign in aid of scattered infantry groups for a long time and make the Italian lines of communication difficult to hold. Such a force would raid for ammunition and rifles and supplies.

Split up between bodies not too big, these attacks could never be localised and there would always be the chance of a massed charge at formed bodies on the move.

ONE word about water. The Abyssinians have the lakes and the wells behind them. They can live on one-half of the food needed for a European and need no shelter. They can cover long distances, on foot, horse, or camel, without undue fatigue. As warriors they combine

the adaptability of the Boer with the cunning of the Afriidi.

How long will it take the Italians to over-run the country and establish control?

It took Britain 14 years to recover and administer the Sudan. The Italian view is a short campaign and a period of four years' occupation to set up an effective administration. The calculation is optimistic.

The Very Idea!

NOTES & COMMENTS

More Scraps From Eddie Kelly's Scrapbook

THE Cockney child had just started school.
"What's yer name?" he was asked.
"Fred!"
"Blimey! That ain't a name—that's what yer mum sews yer pants wiv!"

Isn't It So?

A Sunday school teacher yesterday asked his class to write down a definition of a heathen.
He received the following reply from one precocious youngster:
"Heathens are people who don't quarrel over religion!"

Eternal Why

Why do you paint your lips with red?
"Dear little girl of the early head!"
Why dab your cheeks with ghastly pink?
Why smudge your eyelashes with ink?
And pluck your eyebrows to ex-tinction?
And achieve feminine distinction by going platinum?
Why ape a futuristic nude in shape?
Why flatten curves? Why dress like dozers?
Of sisters, mothers, aunts, and cousins?
Why? Why? Why? Why? When you possess Unarmoured loveliness?

Judas

On the exterior of the cathedral at Aksum, the Holy City of Ethiopia, are frescoes, one depicting the Last Supper. Twelve of the thirteen characters in this representation are black. The white man is Judas Iscariot.

Howler

A teacher came across the following while marking some recent class papers:
"Gas in its free state refers to that found in Ireland."

Accident

A man entered the out-patients' department of the Kowloon hospital. His head was enveloped in bandages.
"Are you married?" asked Doc. Smalley.
"No," replied the man, "I've been run over."

Bad Bot

Little Tommy came home from Sunday school yesterday with the distressing news that he had lost the penny given him for the collection.
"But that is three Sundays running that you have lost your penny," his mother complained.
"Well, I must win sooner or later," Tommy replied. "Fred's luck can't last for ever."

More Howlers

Here is a selection of "howlers" from the collection of a Lanarkshire teacher:
The Royal Mint is what the King puts on his coat of arms.
A connoisseur is a person who stands outside a picture-palace.
A coroner's duty is to decide whether a man died a natural or fatal death.
An appendix is a portion of a book which nobody has yet discovered to be of any use.
The cobra is a little donkey that runs about the Himalayas.
Gravity was discovered by Isaac Newton. It is chiefly noticeable in autumn, when the apples are falling from the trees.

NEW DEAL TO
BE TESTEDMADE ISSUE AT
N.Y. ELECTION

New York, Nov. 3. The New Deal will receive its first test at the polls to-morrow. Mr. James A. Farley, the U.S. Postmaster General, has agreed to accept the Republican challenge to make to-morrow's state elections a test, as a prelude to next year's presidential elections.

New York is considered one of the key states, where the result of elections indicates "which way the wind is blowing." Said the Postmaster General: "Business is steadily improving in the United States and uncertainty as to the future is long since ended. Sales are increasing and the investment market is growing stronger daily."

Mr. Farley charged the Republicans with attempting to create a period of uncertainty for next year's national elections.—United Press.

SPENDING MILLIONS
ON ROADS

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The huge London transport scheme, involving an expenditure of over thirty million pounds, which would mean orders for rails, vehicles, locomotives and electrical apparatus, giving much employment.

With regard to unemployment, there were 1,087,000 men in employment when the Government took office, and figures to be published to-morrow would show a reduction of over forty thousand in the numbers unemployed in October compared with the preceding month. He saw no reason to suppose they would not go on reducing unemployment, but the very first result of a return of a Labour Government must be an immediate increase of unemployment. He compared the Labour election programme with the Government's plans for better housing, educational reform, improved maternity services and raising the standard of health of the growing generation had everywhere been investigated and judged practicable and wise by men who, he asserted, in contrast with their Labour opponents, did expect to be called on to fulfil their promises.

CONSERVATIVE WEAPON

Speaking at Crewe, Mr. Attlee, Leader of the Labour Opposition, said the chief weapon in the Conservative armoury was fear. In 1924 there was the Russian bogey and in 1931 the danger to savings fear.

There were signs that fear would be used in the present election, too, to return the so-called National Government.—British Wireless.

LABOURING FOR PEACE
OF WORLD

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League, Italy and Abyssinia. It was in this spirit that I had a series of very helpful talks with M. Laval and other French Ministers. It was in the same spirit that I myself had a free and frank conversation with Baron Aloisi this morning.

Time, patience and understanding would be required for reconciling the divergent interests, and when or whether the League would succeed he could not say, but they were encouraged by the work done. "As a result of the collective action of 60 nations—a remarkable event in the history of the world—the League has shown its vitality. It has given a real stimulus to peace, both by its display of collective solidarity and its determination, at the same time, to encourage every honourable effort to make an end to the risks and horrors of war."—British Wireless.

FOREIGN BANKS
MAY FIGHT

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tributing notes in the interior of China has encouraged this new step.

The consolidation of power to buy or sell exchange is regarded as conducive to stabilisation of the yuan which the Government and a widespread section of the business world desired.

Experts suggest that the chief problem in the programme will be the maintenance of a high silver coverage for the note issue, but as coverage to date has been higher than many nations' it is believed the Government can continue to maintain it by a judicious exercise of authority.—United Press.

ARSENAL DEFEATED
BY BRENTFORDGlasgow Rangers Fail To
Win At Ibrox Park

There were again a fair number of surprise results in the English Football Leagues, the defeat of the Arsenal by Brentford and the failure of the Rangers to beat Queen's Park at Ibrox Park being the most prominent upsets.

Full results as cabled by Reuter and Our Own Correspondent follow:

FIRST DIVISION

Aston Villa	2	Grimsby	6
Bolton	3	Blackburn	1
Brentford	2	Arsenal	1
Derby	3	Manchester C.	0
Everton	5	Sheke	0
Huddersfield	2	Chelsea	1
Middlesbro'	2	Liverpool	2
Nottingham	2	Sunderland	2
Preston N.E.	3	Birmingham	1
Wednesday	2	West Bromwich	5
Wolves	3	Leeds	0

League Table

Sunderland	13	8	2	3	37	22	18
Derby	13	8	2	3	21	11	18
Huddersfield	13	7	4	2	21	15	18
Middlesbro'	13	9	3	4	30	21	15
Arsenal	13	5	4	4	23	16	14
Stoke	13	6	2	5	21	20	14
Manchester C.	12	6	1	5	19	19	13
Wednesday	13	4	6	4	20	24	13
Birmingham	13	5	3	5	17	21	13
Liverpool	13	5	3	5	28	19	13
Chelsea	13	5	2	6	19	25	12
Wolves	13	6	2	5	24	23	12
West Brom.	13	5	2	6	25	25	12
Bolton	12	4	4	4	15	17	12
Portsmouth	12	4	3	6	16	21	11
Blackburn	12	5	1	6	20	25	11
Leeds	13	3	6	5	13	20	11
Brentford	12	4	3	5	18	16	11
Everton	13	4	3	6	24	30	11
Preston N.E.	13	4	2	7	16	22	10
Grimsby	13	3	5	3	19	26	10
Aston Villa	13	3	2	8	21	40	8

SECOND DIVISION

Barnsley	1	Blackpool	2
Barnley	2	Southampton	0
Charlton	4	Norwich	1
Fulham	3	Sheffield U.	1
Hull	2	Notts Forest	1
Manchester U.	0	Leicester	1
Newcastle	3	West Ham	3
Plymouth	1	Doncaster	3
Port Vale	3	Bradford	2
Tottenham	7	Swansea	2

League Table

Leicester	13	9	1	3	30	18	19
Tottenham	13	8	2	3	33	15	18
Blackpool	14	7	3	4	31	23	17
Manchester U.	13	7	2	4	19	9	16
Doncaster	13	7	2	4	21	16	16
Southampton	13	6	3	4	23	15	15
Charlton	13	6	3	4	24	15	15
Bury	13	5	4	4	19	17	14
Newcastle	12	6	2	4	27	24	14
Plymouth	12	6	1	5	25	17	13
Fulham	13	4	3	6	25	20	13
Sheffield U.	13	5	2	6	22	22	12
Swansea	13	4	4	5	24	31	12
West Ham	13	5	2	6	25	22	12
Notts Forest	14	3	5	6	19	25	11
Bradford	13	4	3	6	18	25	11
Barnsley	13	4	3	6	20	29	11
Burnley	13	4	3	6	16	21	11
Bradford C.	13	2	6	5	14	20	10
Port Vale	13	2	7	4	13	12	10
Norwich	13	3	2	8	18	25	8
Hull	13	3	2	8	15	30	8

THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH)

Bournemouth	1	Coventry	1
Bristol R.	5	Brighton	2
Cardiff	0	Aldershot	1
Clapton O.	1	Queen's P.R.	0
Crystal Pal.	5	Millwall	0
Gillingham	3	Swindon	0
Luton	7	Newport	0
Northampton	0	Bristol C.	2
Notts County	3	Exeter	1
Reading	2	Exeter	1
Reading	2	Torquay	0
Southend	1	Watford	1

League Table

Reading	13	10	2	1	35	16	20
Crystal Pal.	14	8	2	4	33	27	18
Coventry	13	6	5	2	33	11	17
Torquay	14	6	4	2	27	25	16
Bournemouth	13	6	3	4	22	13	16
Luton	13	6	3	4	25	15	15
Clapton O.	13	6	2	5	19	16	14
Bristol C.	13	6	2	5	14	13	14
Queen's P.R.	13	5	3	5	26	22	13
Millwall	13	4	5	4	14	22	13
Swindon	13	4	5	4	15	18	13
Gillingham	13	5	3	5	22	19	13
Notts County	13	4	5	4	19	18	13
Swindon	13	4	4	5	20	12	12
Newport	13	4	4	5	20	36	12
Southend	13	4	4	5	22	20	12
Bristol R.	13	4	4	5	22	20	12
Cardiff	13	4	3	6	17	19	11
Northampton	13	4	3	6	15	23	11
Brighton	13	4	2	7	26	28	10
Aldershot	13	4	2	7	11	21	10
Exeter	13	4	1	8	10	31	5

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH)

Accrington	3	Walsall	1
Barrow	3	Oldham	0
Chester	4	Hartlepool	0
Chesterfield	5	Darlington	1
Crewe	0	Tranmere	0
Lincoln	1	Manfield	2
New Brighton	1	Halifax	1
Rochdale	1	Rotherham	1
Southport	0	Carlisle	3
Stockport	3	Gateshead	1
Carlisle	1	Wrexham	1

League Table

Tranmere	13	8	4	1	22	12	20
Lincoln	13	7	4	2	21	13	18
Chesterfield	12	6	3	4	30	13	16
Walsall	13	6	3	4	28	15	15
Oldham	14	0	3	5	20	24	15
Halifax	13	6	3	4	18	14	15
Rotherham	13	5	4	4	22	10	14
Stockport	13	5	4	4	22	10	14
Carlisle	13	5	4	4	15	13	14
Wrexham	14	0	1	7	23	21	13

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

Aberdeen	4	Queen O'Sth.	3
Albion	2	Kilmarnock	3
Arbroath	1	Partick	1
Ayr	3	Hibernian	1
Celtic	4	Dundee	2
Dunfermline	2	Airdrie	0
Hamilton	0	Clyde	1
Hearts	6	St. Johnstone	1
Rangers	3	Queen's Park	3
Third Lanark	2	Motherwell	1

League Table

Aberdeen	15	11	1	4	44	20	27
Celtic	14	12	1	1	41	15	23
Rangers	14	9	4	1	47	20	22
Hearts	15	8	3	4	40	25	19
Hamilton	15	7	4	4	32	23	18
Motherwell	15	6	4	5	28	25	16
St. Johnstone	15	7	2	6	26	40	16
Partick	15	6	2	7	28	27	14
Queen's Park	15	5	4	6	34	37	11
Third Lanark	14	6	2	6	24	25	14
Dunfermline	15	4	5	6	27	32	13
Dundee	15	4	4	7	32	37	12
Queen O'Sth.	15	4	7	19	26	12	12
Arbroath	15	5	2	9	18	26	12
Airdrie	15	4	2	9	27	37	11
Albion	15	6	1	9	27	37	11
Hibernian	15	4	3	8	22	36	11
Kilmarnock	15	4	3	8	29	30	11
Ayr	15	5	1	9	19	33	11
Clyde	14	2	8	15	28	8	8

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

Alloa	4	St. Bernard's	3
Brechin	2	St. Mirren	3
Dundee	4	Forfar	1
East Stirling	2	Cowdenbeath	0
Edinburgh	5	King's Park	0
Leith	1	Montrose	1
Morton	2	Falkirk	2
Raith Rovers	1	Dumbarton	3
Stenmuir	1	East Fife	1

League Table

St. Mirren	13	11	2	4	31	22	22
Falkirk	13	9	2	2	35	9	20
St. Bernard's	13	8	2	3	49	24	18
Morton	13	7	4	2	29	15	18
Alloa	13	8	1	4	27	22	17
East Stirling	13	6	2	5	23	14	14
Dundee	13	5	4	4	26	30	14
Cowdenbeath	13	6	1	6	33	18	13
Stenmuir	13	6	1	6	26	26	13
Edinburgh	13	5	2	6	23	28	12
Forfar	13	4	3	6	20	29	11
Dumbarton	13	4	3	6	24	31	11
Montrose	13	5	1	7	22	32	11
King's Park	13	3	7	3	42	39	10
Leith	13	4	2	7	19	30	10
East Fife	13	3	4	6	26	33	10
Raith Rovers	13	4	1	9	21	37	7
Brechin	13	1	1	11	16	43	3

League Table

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East Fife	13	3	4	6 26 33 10
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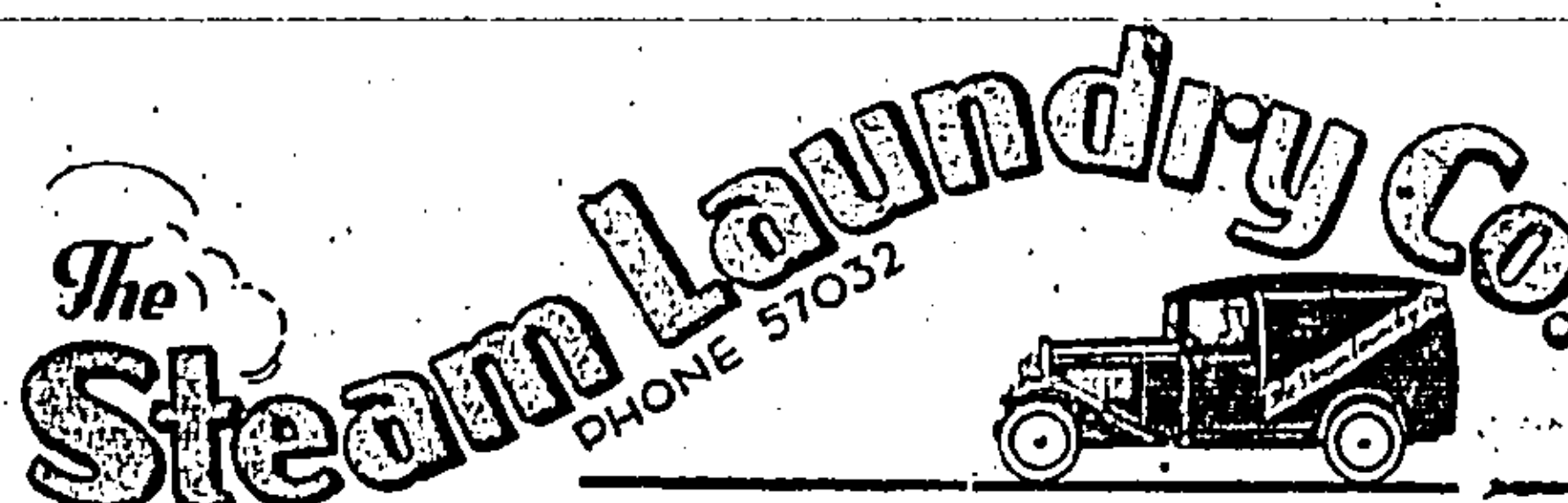
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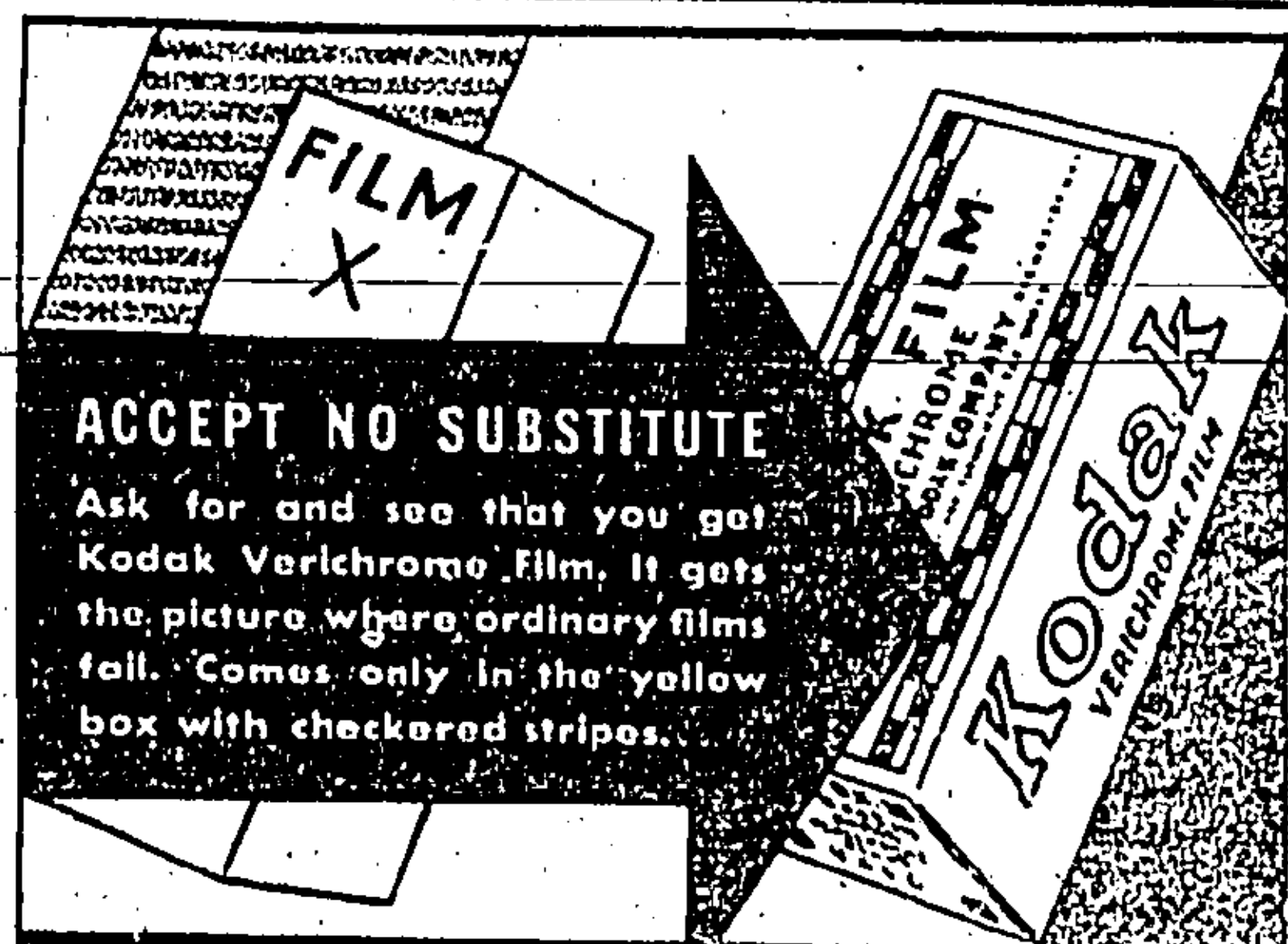
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POLO GYMKHANA

Hongkong Polo Club
Stages Meeting

Postponed from last week, on account of bad weather, the Hongkong Polo Club Gymkhana was held at the Polo Club ground, Kowloon yesterday afternoon in the presence of a large gathering, including His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, the Hon. Sir Thomas Southern, Lady Southern, His Excellency the General Officer Commanding the Troops in China, Major-General F. S. Thackeray, Mrs. Thackeray, and the Hon. Mr. C. G. Abney.

At the conclusion of the sports, Lady Southern distributed the prizes.

THE RESULTS

The results were as follows:
Tont Pegging.—1, Lieut. G. Henriques, R.A. (The Quail); 2, Sgt. R. B. Cull (The Dynamoite).
Ladies' Bending Race.—1, Mrs. G. B. Portman.
Men's Bending Race.—1, H. C. Macnamara.
Ladies' Football and Polo Stick Race.—1, Miss Barbara Lord; 2, Mrs. A. J. Ropes.
Handy Hunter Competition.—1, J. Parrish (Kash Kar); 2, Capt. F. P. H. James (Valley Hall); 3, Capt. Alec Potts (Mouche).
Musical Chairs.—Won by J. Parrish.
Jumping (China Ponies).—1, Mrs. D. C. Wilson (Golden Star); 2, Mrs. Cottart (Cloudy Eve); 3, Lieut. A. J. Ropes, R.A. (Gleneshe).
Jumping (Australian Ponies).—1, J. Parrish (Kash Kar); 2, Lieut. Commander H. W. Alexander, R.N. (Black Magic); 3, Mrs. D. C. Wilson (The Orphan).
Polo Goal Scoring.—D. L. Newbiggin and J. Butcher.
Bare Back Wrestling.—Won by Lieut. E. C. Parker Jarvis, Lieut. J. E. Johnson, J. Butcher and J. Fielden.
Prizes won in the various competitions organised by the Club were also distributed. They were:
Royal Navy Cup.—Won by Major Shannon, Lieut. Col. Williamson, Major Brennan and Lieut. Gough.
Stubbs' Cup.—Won by "Artillery House" (Lieut. Ropes, Lieut. Baker Carr, Lieut. Metcalf and Lieut. Johnson).

RIFLE SHOOTING

Lt. Berlyn Again Heads
Competitors

In spite of two of the affiliated Rifle Clubs having a friendly match on another range, the attendance at Stonecutters on Saturday afternoon for the Spoon and Practice shoot was not only well up to the average, but several new members attended for the first time.

Weather conditions were ideal, although more than one competitor was troubled in the later stages of the shoot, by the wind veering round from six to four o'clock.

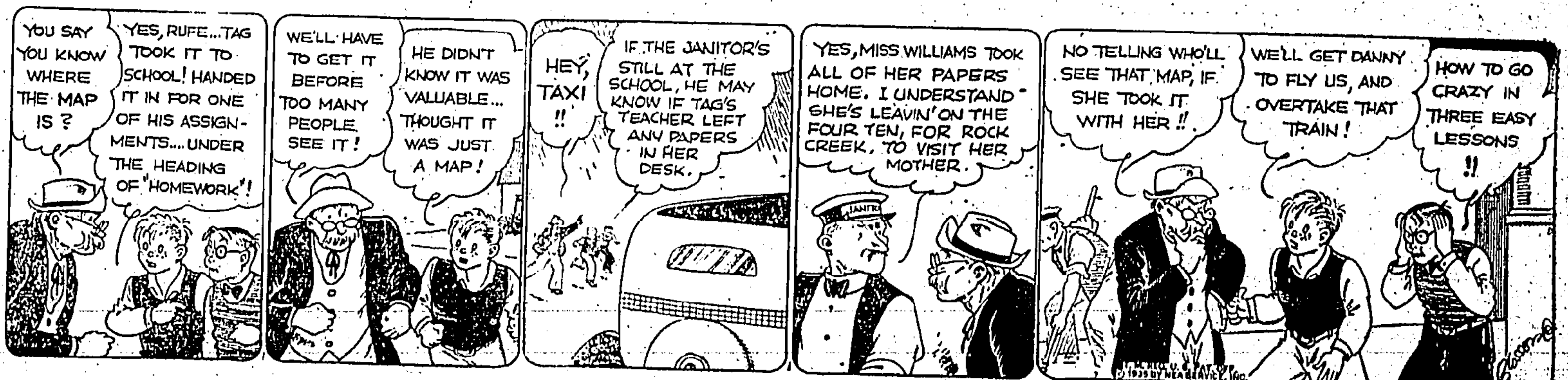
Probably the outstanding feature of the shooting was the way in which those members—using the aperture sight and sling, have shown marked improvement in their aggregate scores, when these are compared with those made a few weeks ago. There is no doubt that this result is solely due to consistent practice, and it is because of this that the Council urge members to attend as regularly as possible.

It is announced that the "Grimes" Spoon, which is given to the member of the Association, whose scores during the previous month show the greatest improvement, has been awarded for October to Private W. H. Peckham, R.A.S.C.

The following are the results:

S. R. (Ch.)	200	500	600	Total
Lieut. (E) Berlyn	33	32	30	95
Sgt. Warwick	30	33	31	94
Cpl. Woodman	26	32	32	90
Sgt. Blandford	30	29	31	90
Pte. Green, J.	28	29	32	89
Arms	27	33	29	89
L/Sgt. Stephens	30	26	30	86
Pte. Starr	25	28	29	83
2/Lt. Holmes	25	28	29	83
Arms	25	28	29	83
L/Sgt. Todd	28	30	24	82
S. I. M. Sheen	27	27	28	81
L/Cpl. Bradford	25	29	27	81
S. R.	31	31	31	93
L/Cpl. Good	31	31	31	93
(Nett Spoon)	28	29	30	87
L/Cpl. Peters	31	27	25	83
Fus. Carter	31	27	25	83
Cpl. Part	25	28	27	81
(Hcap. Spoon)	20	28	26	80
Ch/E.R.A. Todd	20	28	26	80

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



Two of the Canadian boxers who will do their fighting for the education of British audiences under the management of Mike "Kaz" Kaplan, Kitchener and Edmonton promoter, are here. They are Eddie Wenatch of Edmonton, a smart light-heavyweight, who it is expected will look up with Eddie Phillips for the British light-heavy title soon, and Tommy Bland of Toronto. (left), Canadian light-weight champion. Wenatch has been campaigning in England and was well satisfied with conditions. Bland is also rated a prospective title contender.

CAMERON DEAD

FAMOUS SOUTH
AFRICAN CRICKETER

Johannesburg, Nov. 2.
The death has occurred of H. B. Cameron, the South African wicket-keeper, from cancer of the rectum.
Horne Brakenridge Cameron, vice-captain and batsman-wicket-keeper, might have been captain of the last South African team had he not lived up to his reputation for modesty. He held the leadership in South Africa, Australia and New Zealand for two seasons but retired in favour of Wade because he felt that his stumping and batting were quite enough for him to look after.

PLAYED IN 16 TESTS

Cameron had already played under Wade when they were boys together at Hilton College, Natal. Cameron was then vice-captain of the cricket "Buggers" eleven. He was an experienced Test player, having figured in 16 Tests since 1927, in which he scored 83. Since his last visit to England he seemed to have become more serious—perhaps because he was one of the South African team-selection committee—although he was still care-free but never irresponsible.

ALSO FINE BATSMAN

He stumped men out with the nonchalant gesture of a smoker flicking the ash from his cigarette. He had already done something remarkable with the bat, for he and Viljoen, in a fifth-wicket partnership, made the biggest stand of the last tour when they scored 202 (Cameron 132) against Derbyshire. He was later featured in his best performance on the tour when he was undefeated for 103 against Yorkshire the Champion County, who were beaten by 128 runs. Like Wade, he was in his 30th year. He was one of the three married men of the party. He used to play baseball.

SUCCESS IN TEST

Cameron played in the last series of Test matches in England, when the South Africans won the rubber and the "Ashes" and met with considerable success on the tour.
He scored two centuries, 132 against Derbyshire and 103 not out against Yorkshire. In the first Test, which was abandoned on the third day owing to rain, he scored 62 in the only innings the South Africans completed. In the second Test, which South Africa won, he scored 90 in the first innings and three in the second. The third Test was drawn, and Cameron scored nine and 49. In the fourth Test, which was also drawn, he scored 63 in the first innings; and in the last Test which was also left drawn he scored eight and 42.

SHANGHAI
CRICKETERS
SAILINGLAST MINUTE
CHANGE

The Shanghai Interport cricket team will sail to-morrow at daylight on the Empress of Russia for Hongkong.
The side comprises D. W. Leach; E. P. Williams, E.M.P. Williams, P. Madar, L. F. Stokes, S. R. Kernani, J. P. Madar, G. B. Elliott, M. Heath, J. P. Leekie and J. C. Jenkins, with E. C. Baker as manager and twelfth man.

The most notable last minute change is the inclusion of G. B. Elliott in place of F. Marshall, the latter being unable to make the trip.
E. P. Humphreys and L. F. Stokes are both in the Colony at the moment, the latter on his honeymoon.

MASONS AT
BOWLSEnglish Constitution
Beat Scottish

The English Constitution of Freemasons defeated the Scottish Constitution by 103 points to 101 yesterday afternoon, when they met on the Hongkong Football Club Green, Happy Valley.

At the conclusion of the match Mr. E. J. Edwards presented silver spoons for the English Constitution, while Mr. J. Owen-Hughes performed the same ceremony for the Scottish Constitution.

T. Armstrong, W. Geall, A. F. Paul and T. Carr (skip) (English) beat T. Coleman, P. Channing, S. Eccleshall and J. Deakin (skip) (Scottish) by 29-14.

G. Stephens, C. E. Moore, E. Tuck and A. Brookshank (skip) (English) lost to W. K. Way, A. Stalker, W. Greig and F. Cullen (skip) (Scottish) by 14-22.
C. Strange, G. T. Padgett, A. T. Hamilton and G. C. Moss (skip) (English) lost to W. J. Burling, D. W. Waterton, H. F. Westlake and F. H. W. Haynes (skip) (Scottish) by 16-17.
E. B. Reed, W. Ward, E. G. Post and W. E. Hollands (skip) (English) beat A. Tarbuck, J. Dinnert, J. J. Whyte and W. Glendinning (skip) (Scottish) by 19-10.
J. Smith, E. Wynne-Jones, H. Westlake and A. W. Grimmett (skip) (English) beat R. H. E. Marks, P. J. Morgan, W. P. Seath and H. J. Bebbington (skip) (Scottish) by 20-16.
B. E. Maughan, J. Owen-Hughes, J. Bentley and J. C. Bonnar (skip) (English) lost to H. Gittins, E. J. Edwards, J. Polson and F. Cullen (skip) (Scottish) by 11-16.

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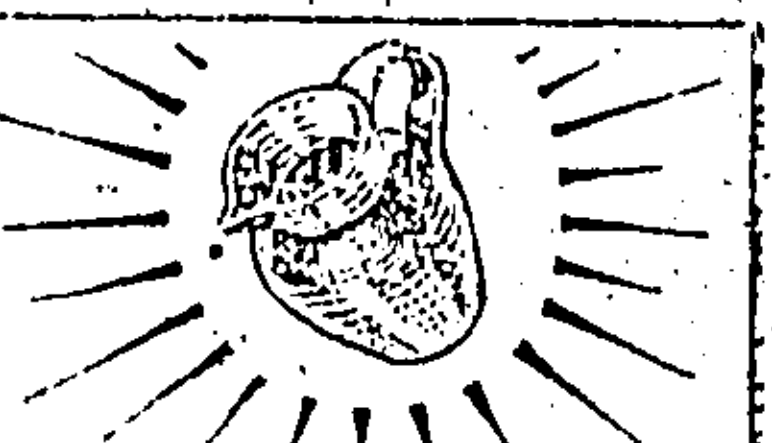
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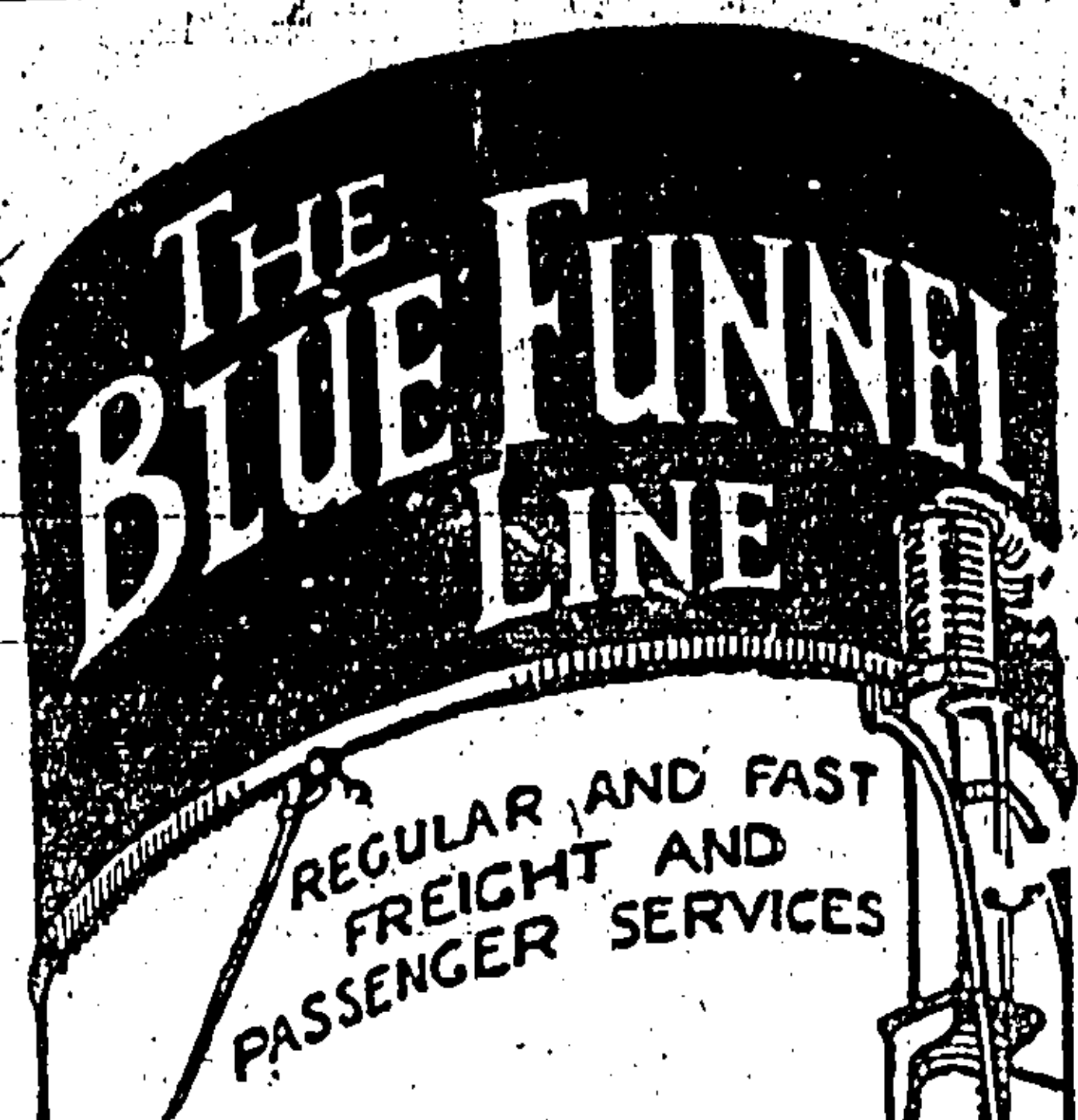
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SERIAL STORY

DONNA OF THE BIG TOP

by BEULAH DOWNER

BEGIN HERE TO-DAY

DONNA GABRIEL and MADELINE SIDDAI, who call themselves "The Gabriel Sisters" are circus performers. Years earlier Madeline ran away from her grandfather's farm.

When Donna is injured by a fall from a tree, Madeline nurses her back to health and takes her to GRANDFATHER SIDDAI's farm to recuperate. To please her partner Donna pretends to be Madeline. She falls in love with BILL SIDDAI, Madeline's cousin, and though she is ashamed of deceiving him, Grandfather tells him that her cousin is Donna. Con DAVID, circus animal trainer, loves Donna but when Madeline tells him that her partner is married Con believes Donna told him to marry Madeline. Though terrified of the lion and tigers she takes part in his animal act.

Con sees one of Donna's letters to Madeline and discovers how she tricked him into marriage.

CHAPTER XIX

When the animals had been driven back through the covered runway and the uproar had subsided, Renfroe looked at Con. "What's the idea?" he demanded. "Trying to commit suicide or pull a new act?"

"Neither." The animal trainer strode through the vast covered corridor that led from the "big top" to the dressing tent, brushing aside everyone who stood in his way.

Madeline was waiting at the door of her dressing room. Under the rouge her cheeks were pale and her eyes black. "Say, what's the matter with you?" she began.

Con caught her wrist, jerked the door open with his other hand and almost flung her into the room. The two other women who shared the dressing room stared at him in amazement.

"Get out," he told them.

Both left quickly, without a word. Occasional quarrels and even fights were to be expected between married couples and Con was notoriously temperamental. If he wanted to, he could knock down and out all the women of his business. Madeline looked capable of taking care of herself.

Alone with Madeline, Con became deadly calm. A smile that distorted his features, robbing them of all attractiveness, spread over his face. "So Donna is to be married?" he drawled.

"Why—why, yes. I told you that a long time ago."

"Yes, you told me. You told me before she had even thought of such a thing. Let's see—how many months ago was it? Long before you trapped me."

"Don't you say I trapped you!" Madeline rasped.

"Why not? You knew that if I hadn't thought Donna was going to marry that rule cousin of yours, I wouldn't have married you. So you lied. You told me she'd written you that they were engaged."

"You just said they're going to be married," she broke in. "I don't know what you're talking about! Now you say I lied."

"I'm talking about this," Con extracted the letter from his pocket and flung it at her. "Oh, I read it! If you can convince me that Donna Gabriel ever wrote a fore this was going to be married, I'm the King of England! Good God, you women are more treacherous than tigers! I suppose she's marrying him now because you married me."

Madeline burst into hysterical laughter. "Of all the conceits Donna tell me you still believe Donna would ever have had you! She couldn't see you for dust at any time, and I knew it! Yes, I lied when I said they were going to be married. Why not? I was fool enough to think that if you knew you could never have her you'd snap out of it and begin to get something out of life."

"With you?"

"Yes, with me. It's only your damned pride and conceit that's eating you now. That's all it ever was between you and Donna—and don't tell me any different. I've lived with you long enough to know you'll never love any one but yourself. The only reason you wanted Donna was because you couldn't have her. I don't care if she's married or not. I don't want you. Not any more!"

She dropped into a chair, laid her head on the shelf before the mirror and burst into angry tears.

Tears were a defence Con could not combat. He paced the little room, whistled disconsolately and then swung on his heels and left.

Madeline picked up the letter, read it through and then destroyed it. She and Con had both spoken in the heat of passion but they had said things that were not easily forgiven, nor forgotten. With her success in the animal act Madeline had hoped to discover that Donna had been neither engaged nor married until after his own wedding showed Madeline only too plainly that he did not love her, that he still cared for the other girl as well as his conceit.

Con was well aware of his conceit but he did not want any one else to mention it, least of all the woman who bore his name. Madeline had added insult to injury and he could not forgive her.

Because the scene still rankled and because both were stubborn, the strained situation continued. Con had never known humility. Never in his life had he admitted himself in the wrong. The overtures toward reconciliation would have to come from Madeline, and Madeline, in the throes of jealousy, convinced herself that she hated Con and did not care if they never spoke again.

Con treated Madeline with a supercilious courtesy that infuriated her. He fanned to a higher flame her hatred and jealousy. Probably during those days when she completely ignored him he came nearer to loving her than at any other time. He had spoken truly when he said that because Donna cared nothing for Con that he had been so determined to win her.

Lucy, the Bengal, was the only one of his beasts Con really cared for. Lucy could not be tamed. She could be driven into the great barred ring, but she would never submit to a whip or sit there as the other animals did. Beautiful as some evil tropical flower, she would stand, defiant, snarling and lashing her mane with yellow eyes gleaming with malice.

Con's contempt for her brothers that bowed before the crack of Con's pistol, the lash of his whip.

And it was because he had met his match in this jungle cat that Con loved her. He gloried in her. He wanted to win her. He wanted to conquer her if he had to kill her.

"Better watch out," Renfroe warned. "I don't have to tell you that there are some cats you can't tame. That beast is a devil. You'll never lick her."

"I will if it's the last thing I do!" Con vowed.

"I'll make her crawl on her belly and like it."

If Madeline had learned a lesson from the Bengal tiger she might have won Con's love. If she had continued to be aloof, cold and defiant he would in time have forgiven what she had done and found it worth while to try to reinstate himself. Eventually he

might have given her as much affection as he was capable of giving any one.

But Madeline was a woman in love. After a week's coolness, when she alternated between hating Con and aching for him, she smothered her pride and begged his forgiveness.

"It was because I loved you," she sobbed. "I know it was a rotten thing to do but I was just crazy and I knew Donna would never marry you. I'm telling you the truth, the God's truth! Donna had a crush on Bill Siddai the first time she went to visit my grandfather and I knew if she and Bill were thrown together they'd get married. You've got to forgive me, Con. I can't go on like this! It's just killing me to have you treat me this way."

"I suppose it was your idea to have Donna go to the farm after the accident?"

"Well, it was a lot better than having her stay in a hospital and it saved expense."

"And threw her and your precious cousin together! Just what does your grandfather think of Donna's sponging on him this way?"

"Why, he thinks she is me—er—he loves her because—"

"I heard you the first time. So your grandfather thinks Donna is you! Haven't you told me he is well-to-do?"

"Yes. Not rich, but the farm is worth something. He's comfortably fixed. Why?"

"It strikes me that in your anxiety to marry your partner off so you could get your clutches on me you've thrown away your inheritance."

"I don't know what you mean. Donna would never—you don't think Donna would influence him into leaving her the farm, do you?"

"Would she have to do any influencing? He thinks she is his granddaughter, you say. She's marrying your cousin. You don't suppose he is going to let the fortune, such as it is, slip through his hands? If Donna isn't unscrupulous enough or clever enough to get the old man's money, she'll be here, this cousin will think up a way to do it."

"And where will you be? You could swear until doomsday that you were the granddaughter and entitled to what is left, but with two against you you'd just be cured scornfully."

Madeline's lips curled scornfully. "And you claimed to love Donna! I don't know anything about Bill Siddai, but I do know Donna. She wouldn't rob me and no man could induce her to try to cheat me out of anything. Grandfather might leave, but I wouldn't be too sure! I suppose you kept that letter?"

"No. I destroyed it. But just to satisfy you I'll write Donna and ask her what she intends to do if Grandfather should die."

"You think she'd tell you?"

"I know she would."

"If she does, for your own protection be sure to keep the letter."

Until this conversation Madeline had given little thought to what her grandfather possessed. Now the bank account became of vast importance as she realized that Con considered her an heiress. After Madeline had written to Donna, first wishing her happiness and then tactfully inquiring what the situation would be if Grandfather Siddai should die, she began to wonder if Con were not a better judge of character than herself. Was Donna, in marrying Bill Siddai, leaving her fortune to a man whose character was so questionable and whose assets as well as home and husband?

(To Be Continued)

CINEMA NEWS

NOTES FROM THE THEATRES

"Brewster's Millions." Jack Buchanan's latest musical film, which comes to the King's Theatre on Wednesday, has won for itself the most ambitious "musical" yet made in England. For the big scene of the film, a Coriscan carnival in which more than a thousand revellers take part, the studio technicians constructed an exact replica of the market square of Ajaccio, the picturesque capital of Corsica. This huge set, comprising churches, shops, cafe and three-story dwelling houses, covered ten acres of the B. and D. studios and occupied the attention of a host of workers for many weeks. Another sequence was filmed on the decks and bridge of a 1,500-ton luxury yacht, which the director chartered for a week's cruise in the vicinity of the Isle of Wight. A third set shows the interior of a Mayfair mansion of the grandest and most imposing kind, which a fourth depicts the kind of office suite that multi-millionaire captains of industry dream about, a palatial affair, all marble, chromium plate and modernity. These are some of the fittings for the hilarious story of a man who is obliged to spend half a million of money in a period of six months, a story which made thousands of pre-war theatre-goers laugh their heads off. Lill Damita plays opposite Jack Buchanan. Fred Emney, Sydney Fairbrother, Ian McLean, Amy Veness, Anthony Holles and Sebastian Shaw. The musical numbers are by Ray Noble and Thornton Freeland, of "Whoopee" fame, directors.

"Red Hot Tires"

Mary Astor and Lyle Talbot talked in whoppers for two days as a result of over-enthusiasm. Working together in the first National picture "Red Hot Tires," coming soon to the Queen's

Theatre, one of the sequences reveals the pair as excited spectators of a midget automobile race. They were supposed to be moved to a high pitch of excitement in watching the thrilling sport. It had been planned, so loud and long that two horses would result, but that's what actually happened. Both are racing enthusiasts and when they watched the daredevil race track stunts, they completely forgot themselves and cheered louder and longer than was needed for picture purposes. "Red Hot Tires" is a dynamic drama with speed thrills that will take the breath. There is a stirring and unusual romance in which two daredevil drivers battle both for racing honours and the love of a beautiful girl. In huge set, comprising churches, shops, cafe and three-story dwelling houses, covered ten acres of the B. and D. studios and occupied the attention of a host of workers for many weeks. Another sequence was filmed on the decks and bridge of a 1,500-ton luxury yacht, which the director chartered for a week's cruise in the vicinity of the Isle of Wight. A third set shows the interior of a Mayfair mansion of the grandest and most imposing kind, which a fourth depicts the kind of office suite that multi-millionaire captains of industry dream about, a palatial affair, all marble, chromium plate and modernity. These are some of the fittings for the hilarious story of a man who is obliged to spend half a million of money in a period of six months, a story which made thousands of pre-war theatre-goers laugh their heads off. Lill Damita plays opposite Jack Buchanan. Fred Emney, Sydney Fairbrother, Ian McLean, Amy Veness, Anthony Holles and Sebastian Shaw. The musical numbers are by Ray Noble and Thornton Freeland, of "Whoopee" fame, directors.

"Cardinal Richelieu"

To attempt to picture the dignified George Arliss, who brings his latest historical characterisation to the screen of the King's Theatre in the title role of Barry Zangue's 20th Century production of "Cardinal Richelieu," blithely singing his way through a musical comedy is to tax the imagination almost beyond the bounds of reason. But the screen's most distinguished character actually earned his living in exactly this fashion during one season early in his career. He admits that his voice was pretty dreadful and after that season he kept a promise to himself not to let it happen again. Arliss was born in London, on April 10, 1868. He indulged his childhood ambition to act by putting on amateur theatricals in the basement of a small friend's home. At his father's insistence, he spent a year in his publishing house. Then he joined the old Elephant and Castle stock company, playing in blood and thunder "mellors." Tours of the English provinces, with various stock companies followed, and then came the memorable singing season. He met his wife in a theatrical school and proposed to her because she had

"nico arms." After a number of appearances with Mrs. Pat Campbell's London company he accompanied her stock company to America, and met with such great success that he remained there. After appearing in "The Darling of the Gods" and several plays with Mrs. Fluke, he was starred in "The Devil" and "Septimus" followed and then "Disraeli"—in which he played for five years. When came "Paganini," "Hamilton" and "The Green Goddess." He entered the silent films at this point and made "The Devil," "The Ruling Passion," "The Green Goddess" and "Disraeli." Arliss returned to the stage to star in "Old English" and toured the country in "The Merchant of Venice." The arrival of "talkies" induced him to return to films to remake "Disraeli" and "The Green Goddess." He has since achieved a brilliant screen career, the highlights of which were "The Millionaire," "The Working Man," "Voyage," "The Working Man," and Joseph M. Schenck's 20th Century Picture Company releasing through United Artists, "The House of Rothschild," "The Last Gentleman" and the current "Cardinal Richelieu." During which he did intensive research for "Richelieu," he made "The Iron Duke," in which he portrayed the Duke of Wellington.

"Becky Sharp"

Inaugurating what many believe to be a new era in screen entertainment, Pioneer Pictures' first full-colour feature, "Becky Sharp," is now thrilling audiences at the Queen's Theatre. Based upon William Makepeace Thackeray's famous fiction classic, "Vanity Fair" and the Langdon Mitchell stage play "Becky Sharp," it stars Miriam Hopkins. Produced entirely in the new three-component Technicolor, it promises a revelation in beauty, fidelity to life and clarity. It is the first full length dramatic motion picture of this process and may, as many predict, revolutionize the entire future course of the film industry because colour perfection is now available. Coming as a Rouben Mamoulian production,

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(The United Press confirms this now and adds that the bullet lodged near Mr. Wang Ching-wel's spine.)

Question of Successor

The question as to who shall act for Mr. Wang has not yet

tion was that the patient's general condition was satisfactory. The two Shanghai doctors are leaving here to-night by train, but they are ready to respond to any emergency call.—Wah Kiu-Ye
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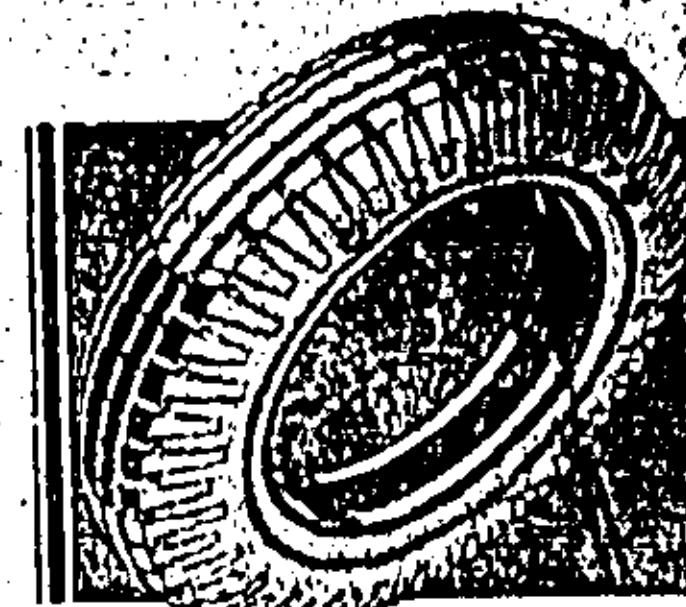
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TANKS AND PLANES IN VAN OF ARMIES

(SPECIAL TO "TELEGRAPH")

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With the Italian Army at the Front
(via Asmara), Nov. 3.

Italian and native troops numbering 125,000, aided by thousands of irregulars, tanks and aeroplanes, advanced on a 100-mile front to-day.

Three columns commenced to attack at dawn and reached all objectives before nightfall, occupying a huge slice of territory in Italy's name.

Except for minor skirmishes, the only opposition furnished was in natural obstacles. The columns went streaming through dense forest country then plunged into deep-carved mountain passes, in the shadow of towering peaks.

General Biroli's centre column, composed of Askiris and Blackshirts, after fourteen hours of marching, reached Hausien, an important caravan station almost halfway to Makale, which was their immediate objective. The column did not fire a shot.

General Santini, on the right flank, encountered scattered guerrilla resistance. General Maravigna, on the left, with a specially equipped native camel corps and a mule corps, accompanied by Ras Gufsa and his 1,500 bodyguards, struck into the Daniakali desert.

FLYING VANGUARD

Every available aeroplane roared back and forth across the path of the advancing columns, seeking possible Ethiopian concentrations. Count Ciano, brother-in-law of Signor Mussolini, and Bruno and Vittorio Mussolini, all flying officers, participated in these flights.

The largest concentration of tanks ever employed in any military operation ground across the rugged terrain, screening the columns' flanks and poking their steel noses into valleys suspected of harbouring defending warriors. Many of the tanks dragged five-inch guns with them.

MAKALE ON MONDAY

It is believed that Makale will be occupied on Monday, in order to synchronise the seizure of another major objective with an important Italian holiday, the anniversary of the World War armistice on the Italian front.

Aviators reported small groups of Ethiopian machine-gunners and artillerymen along the flanks of the column advancing on Makale. Correspondents believe the entire operation will require no more than four or five days, after which there will probably be a long pause for the purpose of consolidating the similar initial push to the Adigrat, Adowa and Aksum line.—United Press.

OBJECTIVES REACHED

With the Italian Army on the Northern Front, (via Asmara), Nov. 3.

The Italian Army's first wave reached all its objectives in the general advance to-day. Thus the legions of Rome added another slice of Ethiopian territory to the area under the occupation.

The troops occupied Hausien at noon. A native army corps entered the town, having met with no resistance whatever.

Hausien is an important caravan centre about 50 kilometres from (Continued on Page 12.)

LABOURING FOR PEACE OF WORLD

LEAGUE'S UNITY ASSURED

MINISTER'S REVIEW

London, Nov. 3.
The Foreign Secretary, Sir Samuel Hoare, and the Minister for League Affairs, Mr. Eden, both returned to London to-day after yesterday's meeting of the Co-ordination Committee of the fifty-two League States which has appointed November 18 as the date for concerted application of the proposed economic sanctions against Italy.

In a speech broadcast to British listeners before he left Geneva last night, Sir Samuel said: "To-day has been a very important day in the history of the League." The meeting of the Co-ordination Committee had given a clear and satisfactory answer to the doubts which had arisen in some minds whether collective action might be smothered under a mass of technical details and special reservations. It was a great achievement that 50 League States had promised support to the League action, and he congratulated them.

"The result has been due neither to British pressure nor to Franco-British pressure, but to a common effort of many States, great and small, representing many different interests. Secondly, the League has given its blessing to the efforts that we and the French Government are making for peace. Speech after speech was made this afternoon wishing these efforts every success."

ONLY ONE OBJECT

"There was no question that we were going behind the back of the (Continued on Page 12.)

HONGKONG JOINS IN SANCTIONS

NOTIFICATION OF ACTION

SUPPORT FOR LEAGUE

A Gazette Extraordinary issued in Hongkong this morning notifies that His Majesty has under section 1 of the Treaty of Peace Act, 1919, made an Order in Council intitled "The Treaty of Peace (Covenant of the League of Nations) Order, 1935," dated the 26th October, 1935, for bringing into effect the decisions adopted by the Co-ordination Committee of the League of Nations under Article 16 of the League Covenant.

The Order in Council applies to the United Kingdom, the Colonies and Protectorates and territories in respect of which a mandate is exercised by His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom.

A copy of the Order in Council will be published in the Hongkong Government Gazette when it is received in the Colony. Generally the effect of the Order is as follows:

(a) to prohibit as from the date of the Order the export to Italian territory of rifles, guns, pistols, ammunition, armoured vehicles, war vessels, aircraft and parts thereof, and all products destined for chemical or incendiary warfare and explosives; (b) to prohibit, as from such date as the President of the Board of Trade may by order appoint, export to Italian territory of specified commodities including metals and ores, transport animals, and rubber; (c) to prohibit as from such date as the President of the Board of Trade may by order appoint, import of all goods from Italian territory except gold or silver bullion or coin; (d) to prohibit, as from such date as the Treasury may by order appoint, loans to or for the Italian Government, or persons or corporations in Italy, and subscriptions to such loans, credits to or for the Italian Government, or persons or corporations in Italy, and issues of shares or capital flotations for persons or corporations in Italy.

Dates appointed under paragraphs (b) and (c) of this Notice will be notified in due course.

The date appointed by the Treasury under paragraph (d) is the 29th October, 1935.

The expression "Italian territory" in paragraphs (a), (b) and

CANADA WELCOMES GOVERNOR

LORD TWEEDSMUIR AT QUEBEC

MET BY PRIME MINISTER

Quebec, Nov. 3.
Large crowds watched the arrival of the liner Duchess of Richmond, with the new Governor-General, Lord Tweedsmuir, aboard. The Prime Minister, Mr. Mackenzie King, went aboard the

GREEKS DEMAND KING'S RETURN

Striking Majority In Plebiscite

(Special to "Telegraph")
Athens, Nov. 4.

A nation-wide plebiscite, held yesterday, shows that the nation overwhelmingly favours a return of the monarchy.

As the last ballots were counted this morning, it was estimated that 95 per cent. of the people voted for a restoration of the monarchy. The monarchist vote was especially heavy in Athens, Piraeus and Salonika.—United Press.

liners and personally welcomed Lord Tweedsmuir, who inspected a guard of honour drawn from a crack French-Canadian regiment, after which he drove to the historic Legislative Council chamber.

In welcoming the new Governor-General, the Premier declared that Lord Tweedsmuir, as John Buchanan, the writer, had been a familiar friend to Canadian homes for many years.

Lord Tweedsmuir, in reply, expressed admiration for the achievements of the people of Canada, and said he had every confidence for the future, well-being and prosperity of the country.—Reuter.

(c) means Italy, her Colonies and Dependencies and the territories in her effective military occupation.

CHAOS IN EXCHANGE CIRCLES

BANKS TO DECIDE POLICY?

SILVER DOLLARS SCARCE

In consequence of China's currency decision the exchange market in Hongkong was completely demoralised this morning. The official rate of the dollar was announced to be 1s. 8½d. (nominal), a drop of a penny on Saturday's quotation.

No rates could be quoted in the business market, as it was impossible to fix quotations in the circumstances prevailing. The Hongkong and Shanghai Bank was neither buying nor selling.

There was talk of a meeting of the foreign banks, with a view to deciding on a general policy, and in this connection it was rumoured that the banks might refrain from paying out silver dollars beyond a certain small limit. This was later denied.

This morning, money-changers were disinclined to pay out silver dollars, saying they were unable to obtain any from the banks.

SHANGHAI UNCERTAINTY

Shanghai, Nov. 4.
There are indications at present that the Central Bank will maintain

During the morning, the business rate was 1s. 6½d., but later the market was a shade easier, having settled down this afternoon to 1s. 6¼d.

tain exchange rates at around Saturday's quotation for November or slightly lower, around 29-7/8 or 30.

Well informed circles express the belief that the Bank will be well able to buy and sell unlimited quantities of exchange or they would not have made the announcement.

There is also a widespread belief that sterling credit has been unofficially assured and also possibly American assistance.

Gold bar brokers anticipate the opening to be around \$1,152.—United Press.

The foreign exchange market was steady with little business passing at 10 o'clock. U.S. dollars (Continued on Page 5.)

ANGLO-CHINESE AGREEMENT?

JAPANESE SUSPECT FINANCIAL ACCORD

BRITISH PRESS PAYS TRIBUTE TO NANKING

Shanghai, Nov. 4.

Regulations issued by the British Ambassador under a China Order-in-Council prohibits British subjects "making payments in silver of the whole or any debt or other obligation" in contravention of the Chinese Government's new monetary decree.

Offenders, it is ruled, shall be liable to imprisonment, with or without hard labour, for a period not exceeding three months, or a fine not exceeding £50, or both.—Reuter.

NO NEW CREDITS FOR CHINA

Shanghai, Nov. 4.

The Manager of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation denied reports that new credits had been extended to China.

Nevertheless, the unofficial Japanese view is that the new currency regulations are highly suspicious. Many believe they indicate a new Anglo-Chinese financial understanding.—United Press.

LONDON'S TRIBUTE

China's currency reforms are given prominence in the press. The Financial Times pays a tribute to the Chinese Government's good judgment in deciding to conform in all respects with the best western practice.

It says the success of the scheme will depend upon the quality and consistency of the men who must administer it, but there is no reason to doubt that China will find men to operate the new measures so as to command confidence and open a new era of financial settlement in China.

The paper concludes that the whole-hearted endorsement and co-operation of Britain and other countries is assured.

BETTER PROSPECTS

The Daily Telegraph says the resolute and comprehensive measures of financial reform are certain to meet with the approval of all commercial circles trading with China, opening up as they do great prospects for Chinese commerce.

The Morning Post says that in effect the Chinese Government proposes that China shall go off the silver standard. The decision is as the crisis demands.

The paper presumes the design is to hold the Chinese dollar in its present relation to sterling, but upon what reserves and resources the paper money will rest and how the Chinese people will react are questions which cannot be calculated.

England will watch the great experiment with sympathy and hope for its success.—Reuter.

NO COMMENT

Tokyo, Nov. 4.
The Foreign Office is at present not commenting on the Chinese announcement that the Nanking Government's negotiations with Sir Frederick Leith-Ross have resulted in a loan of \$10,000,000, to be used for the nationalisation of silver.

A spokesman said the report was a complete surprise, adding that despatches received on the subject indicated that the Chinese dollar would be stabilised in relation to the pound sterling, which would tend to equalise Chinese and Japanese currencies internationally.

Stabilisation everywhere was desirable, said the spokesman, but personally he believed that it would be exceedingly difficult in China, because Nanking controls "only a few provinces."

The spokesman added that the Japanese Foreign Office was at (Continued on Page 5.)

FOREIGN BANKS TO FIGHT?

UNWILLING TO HAND OVER SILVER

EMBARGO POSSIBLE

Shanghai, Nov. 3.

While some foreign banks are prepared to turn over their silver resources to the Chinese Government, following the nationalisation of the metal, this decision is by no means unanimous. Many banks feel they are entitled to secure London silver prices for their holdings.

The opinion prevails that outstanding contracts in exchange can be taken at the rates previously arranged, but the bank depositors have to accept notes in future instead of silver dollars.

An interesting point is what will happen to the note issues of the foreign banks, for which full silver reserves are held locally.

An embargo on the export of silver is believed likely if foreign bankers and others do not agree to abide by the Government's decision regarding the nationalisation of silver.

The terms of the Government's decree include the following: "Payment of all taxes and discharge of all public and private obligations shall be effected by legal tender notes."

"The using of silver dollars or bullion for currency purposes will be prohibited and any contravention of this provision will be punishable by confiscation of the whole amount of silver seized."

"Any individual found in the illegal possession of silver shall be punished in accordance with the law governing acts of treason against the nation."

"A Currency Reserve Board created under a special ordinance shall be formed to control the issue and the retirement of legal tender banknotes and keep custody of the reserve against outstanding banknotes."—Reuter.

EXPERT COMMENT

Washington, Nov. 3.
Although declining to make any (Continued on Page 5.)

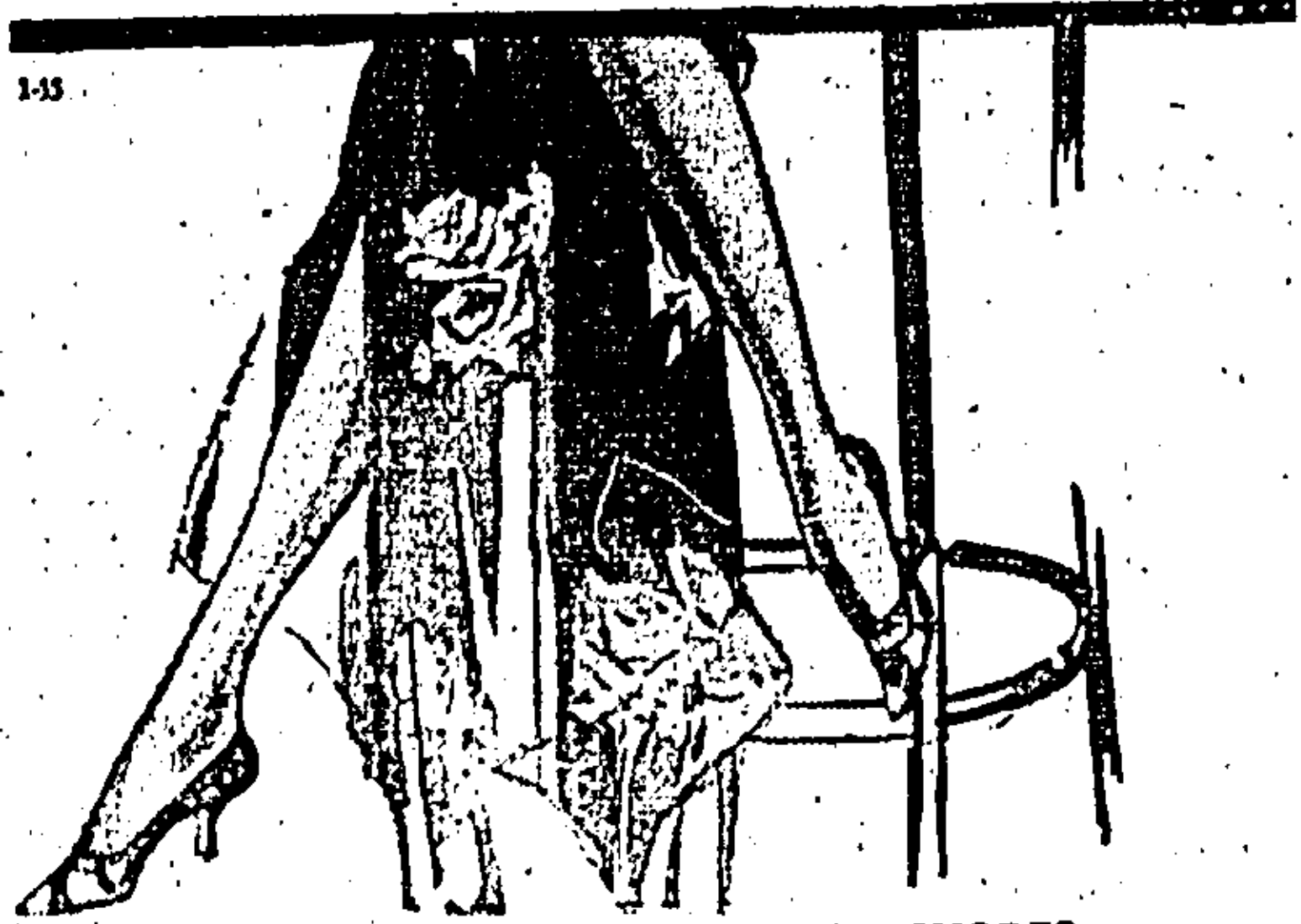


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ENGLISH WOMAN'S LAST VOYAGE

A WOMAN who has travelled 10,000 miles to begin a sentence of life imprisonment has reached England.

She is Mrs. Katherine Hadley, sentenced to death at Shanghai in 1933 for the murder of Captain Walter Clifford Youngs, former British mercantile marine officer.

Mrs. Hadley was recommended to mercy, and was granted a reprieve on December 12, 1933.

The sentence was commuted to imprisonment for life.

She travelled in the P. and O. liner Naldera, and was in charge of two police officers and a nurse.

On arrival in London she was taken to Holloway prison, where she began her imprisonment in England.

It is only on rare occasions that a prisoner is removed from an overseas territory to this country.

"These transfers are made under the Colonial Prisoners Removal Act of 1884," an official said.

"They involve the issuing of a warrant by the Home Secretary, and the question of removal is usually raised by the Governor of the Colony concerned."

Mrs. Hadley is a Lithuanian by birth, and about 36 years of age. She married an Englishman who committed suicide in 1919, when she was just 20 years old.

She was tried before the British Supreme Court at Shanghai, and displayed no sign of emotion when sentence of death was passed upon her.

A neighbour, at the trial, described how he watched through a window and saw Mrs. Hadley stab Captain Youngs.

A police sergeant stated that while he was guarding Mrs. Hadley at the hospital, she exclaimed: "Did I kill him? If not I'll kill him 10 times over."



Mrs. Katherine Hadley escorted by a wardress on her arrival at Tilbury from Shanghai. She travelled 10,000 miles to begin a sentence of life imprisonment in England. In 1933 she was sentenced to death at Shanghai for the murder of Captain Walter Clifford Youngs, a former British mercantile marine officer. A recommendation to mercy accompanied the sentence, which was afterwards commuted to penal servitude for life.

Six Stars Captured For British Films

Stuart Robertson and John Gielgud in New Productions

SIX new stars have been found for British films. Three are coming from Hollywood and three have been found in London. They are:

John Gielgud,
Stuart Robertson,
Jean Muir.

Oscar Homolka,
Peter Lorre, and
Robert Young.

John Gielgud, who is one of the London stage, and who has refused more film offers, from Hollywood than any other actor in the past year, has agreed to play the part of Somerset Maugham's famous character, Ashenden, in a film to be called "The Secret Agent."

He appeared in the stage and film versions of "The Good Companions," and is the brother of Mr. Val Gielgud, the B.B.C. drama director.

The American film star, Robert Young, who played in "The House of Rothschild," and the German film star, Peter Lorre, who played the villain in "M" and "The Man Who Knew Too Much," are both being brought from Hollywood for "The Secret Agent," in which the heroine will be Madeline Carroll. It will be directed by Alfred Hitchcock for Gaumont-British.

John Muir, who played Helena in the film of "A Midsummer Night's Dream," will star in a musical film, to be directed by Paul Stein, of "Blossom Time," for Warner's at Teddington, Middlesex. She is a Scots girl at present in Hollywood.

Stuart Robertson, the Scottish singer, brother of Anna Neagle, the film star, has been placed under exclusive contract by British and Dominions and will first be starred in a sea story in which he will sing shanties. He has frequently broadcast and has sung at Queen's Hall.

Oscar Homolka, who is now playing in "Close Quarters" at the

Savoy, and who has taken the part of Oom Paul Kruger in the film "Cecil Rhodes," has been placed under long contract by Gaumont-British and will be starred in a series of films. He is an Australian.

Gaumont-British will produce 23 films during the next 12 months:

Two starring Will Hay.
Two with Jessie Matthews.
Two with Jack Hulbert and Cicely Courtneidge.

Negotiations now under way make it likely that George Arliss, who is to play the part of the benign and whimsical detective created by the late Edgar Wallace in "The Mind of Mr. Reeder," will be seen in two further British films.

Two outstanding films in the Gaumont-British programme will be a talking-picture version of the famous silent film "Michael Strogoff: Courier of the Czar" and an Empire drama of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

For the title part in "Michael Strogoff" the names of Robert Donat and Fredric March have been mentioned, but nothing is likely to be settled until after Michael Balcon, director of productions for Gaumont-British, goes to Hollywood in November. Mr. Balcon will take with him 12 completed scenarios, and will try to find more famous American stars for British films.

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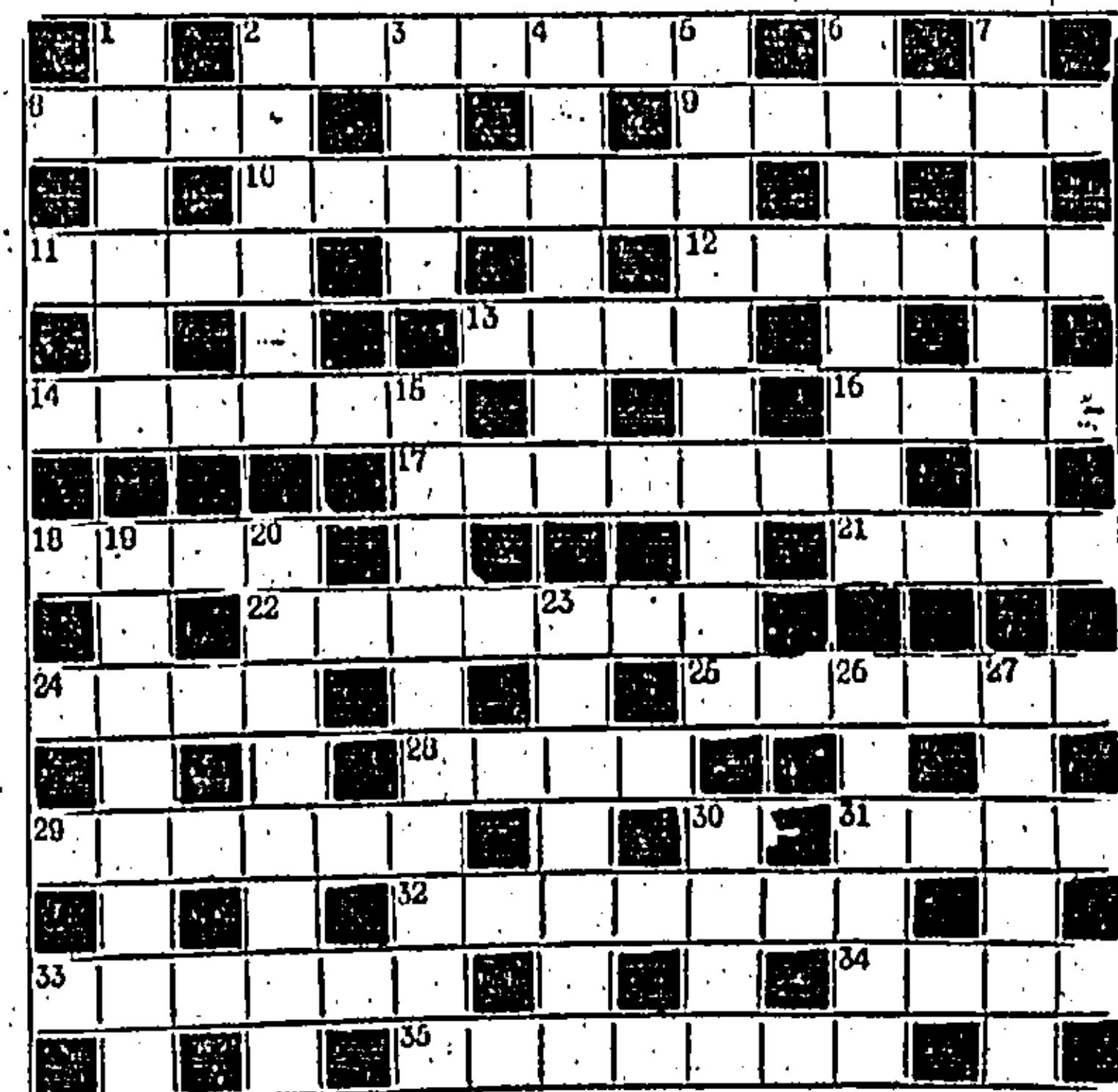
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- 31 Final collapse; so to speak
- 32 A friendly form of address that might become a blunder (two words, 3 and 4)
- 33 No luck (anagram)
- 34 Catapaw
- 35 No chicken

DOWN

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- 3 Porcelate
- 4 Dressed, though the end suggests the opposite
- 5 Police tocs—disguised, of course
- 6 Advance
- 7 Might it describe a race between rowing boats? (hyphen, 4 and 4)
- 15 Financially ruined (hyphen, 6 and 5)
- 19 As is the true orator
- 20 Grazing that's no good to sheep
- 23 After all, the dude has come a purser
- 26 A modest dwelling for vocal scamen
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- 30 No beast of burden

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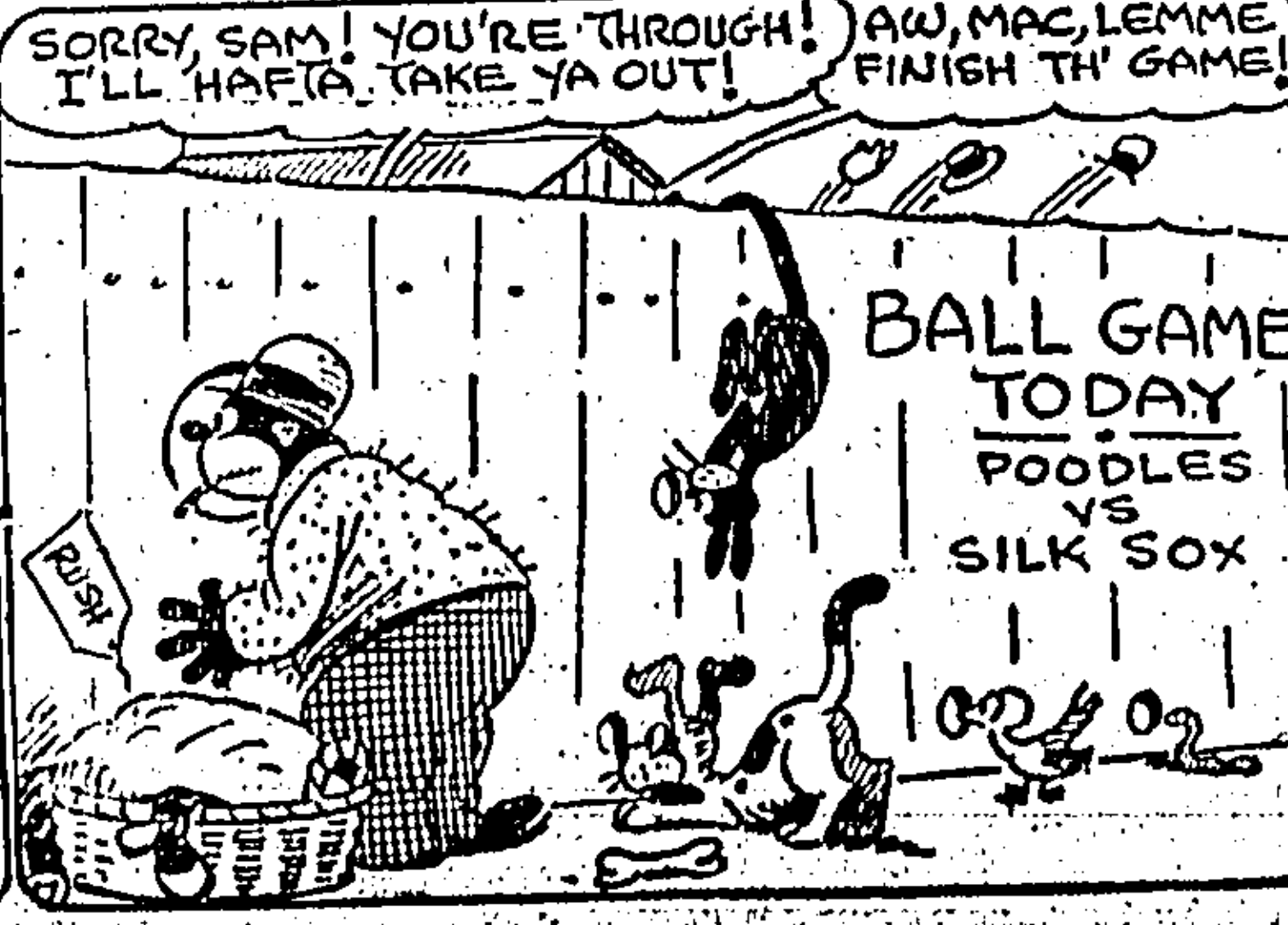
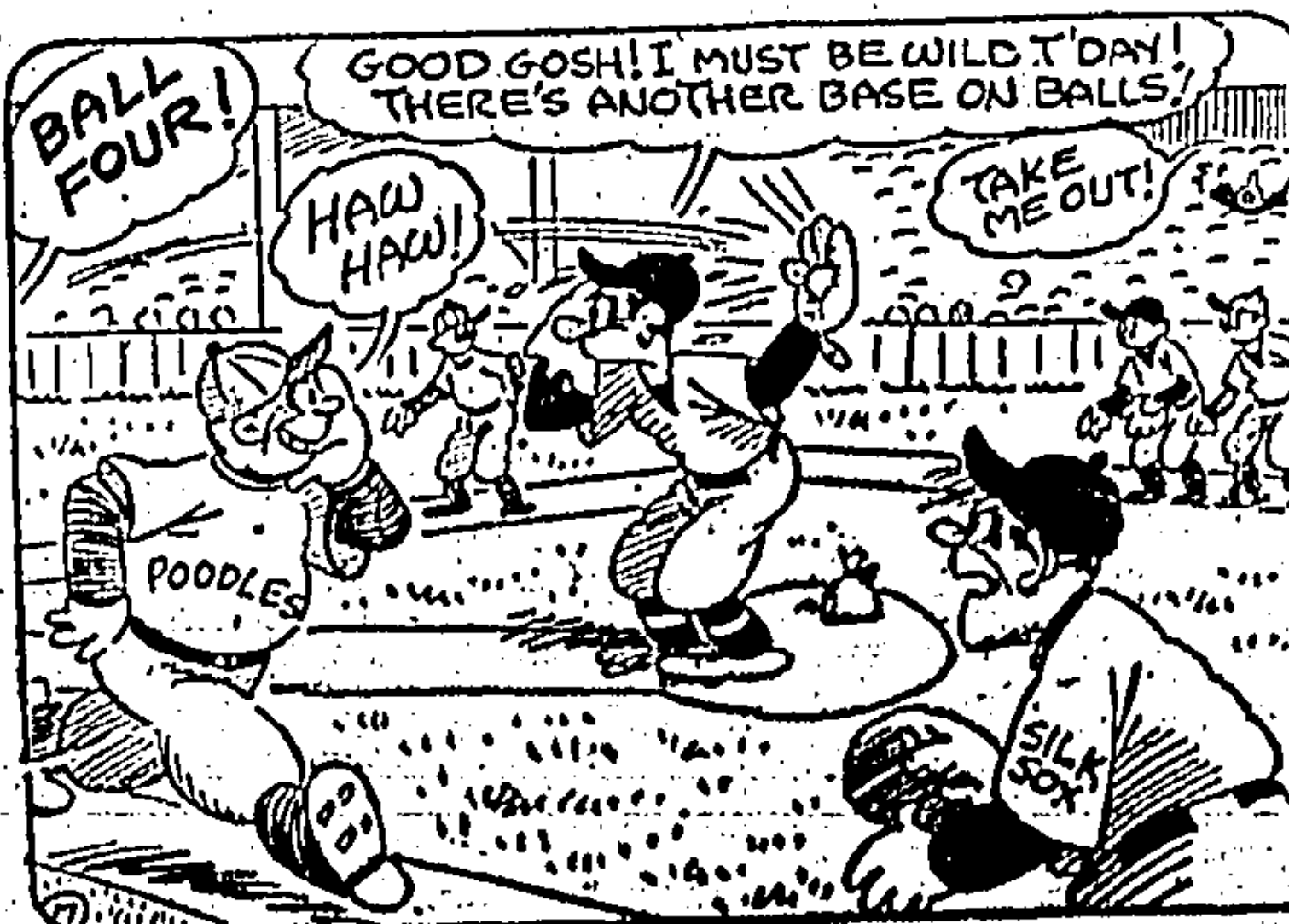
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OVER TO LEAGUE

MR. MALCOLM MacDONALD, Secretary for the Colonies, deprecated in strong terms the suggestion that Hongkong and other Colonies should be handed over to the League of Nations as Mandates, when he spoke at a luncheon of the West African Dinner Club last month in honour of Sir Bernard Bourdillon, Governor-designate of Nigeria.

"A certain eminent person, at one of the recent Party conferences," he remarked, "said that, in his view, all the Crown Colonies should be handed over to the League of Nations as Mandates."

"Such talk tends to do grave harm to the peoples of the Colonies. It creates uncertainty as to their territories' future; it produces a sense of lack of security; it discourages people, for instance, from putting capital into those countries, and therefore prejudices their development."

"It is not merely the economic development that is prejudiced, but also the political and educational development of the peoples there, and the expansion of medical and other social services, for all these services are expensive, and must be founded on a basis of material prosperity."

Content To Stay

"To talk of the Crown Colonies being handed over wholesale as Mandates to the League," the Colonial Secretary continued, "is to presume that the peoples of the Colonies can be treated as mere chattels, that we need not consult their own wishes."

"But we are bound to consult their wishes, and I have no doubt that, if we were to do so, we should find the vast majority of them content and anxious to stay in their present situation."

"To say that implies no criticism of the Mandate System. In fact, the sentiment of the people in the Colonies is due to our having for a long time past in our Colonial Government practised the very principles laid down by the League of Nations for the government of Mandated territories."

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It is the island of Tonga, and its Crown Prince Taufa Ahau who is visiting Melbourne for the Methodist Church centenary, has been telling *Austral News* about it. Every boy on attaining the age of 16 is given a grant of 8½ acres of land and a village home; in other words the means to make a living among his 30,000 fellow islanders.

In place of income tax, a payment of £2 a year is levied on every male adult, and this entitles him to free medical, dental and hospital treatment for himself and his family. To augment the revenue, there are customs duties and a tax on motor cars. There are free primary schools and two colleges.

Prince Taufa Ahau, not yet 18, is more than six feet tall, and has already won distinction as a hurdler, weight putter and Rugby footballer. He is studying law.

DEATH
STALKS
IN ADOWA

One of the first Italian casualties in the war in Ethiopia. Stretcher bearers bringing a wounded comrade into emergency hospital after the capture of Adowa, a defeat inflicted on the Ethiopians with the loss of less than a dozen Italian lives. Other pictures on page 11.

MADCAP ADVENTURE
AROUND THE WORLD
IN 25-FOOT SHIPMOTHER WILL ACCOMPANY U. S.
STUDENT TO HONGKONG

San Francisco, Oct. 20.

Undaunted by buffeting winds and failing equipment Mrs. Wilma Madden, 36, and her stepson Ward, 21, plan to continue a "mad adventure" cruise around the world in a 25-foot sailing sloop.

They were scheduled to leave early in November for Los Angeles on the second leg of a tour they hope will take them to South America, Africa, Europe, the South Seas, Hongkong and China.

The trip is designed in part to furnish "background" for Ward, who has ambitions to be an author.

Filming A
Battle With
Microbes As
Rival Armies

Paris, Oct. 20.

Films that might be announced in the most startling terms on the hoardings are described by *Paris-Soir*.

"Five million actors. Three hundred stars. The most remarkable reconstruction of a great battle ever seen on the screen. Real fighting, with blood and victims," are only some of the claims for them that might be made.

The warriors are red and white blood corpuscles, and the battles are fought against microbes.

The films are staged by Dr. Comandon in a laboratory at the house at Garches where Pasteur died. The "stars" often have to undergo a certain make-up to make them catch the camera.

"And although I sign no princely contracts, my stars are dear, very dear," Dr. Comandon explained, bringing his different cultures within the glare of the spotlight.

25 Years' Work

And then he shot a film. Bacilli of foot-and-mouth disease prepared an underhand attack on innocent red globules and an army of white globules.

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It has taken Dr. Comandon 25 years to bring his work to such perfection. The "field of battle" in the film was only half a cubic millimetre of blood, which had to be enlarged ten thousand times.

"We generally keep down to six or seven thousand times," said Dr. Comandon, "but it is possible to go up to two hundred thousand."

Dr. Comandon is now undertaking a series of studies on the evolution of cancerous cells, which are so remarkable that Dr. Carrel has asked him to go to New York to collaborate with him at the Rockefeller Institute.—*Reuter*.

ANTI-NANKING REVOLT

AUTONOMY
MOVE IN
N. CHINAREBELS STILL SEEK
A STRONG MAN

Tientsin, Nov. 1.

The movement for an autonomous North China government is being hampered by lack of a Chinese leader with enough ability and prestige to hold the many conflicting elements together without plunging five northern provinces into a maelstrom of civil war and unrest.

Japanese take it for granted that the Big Five Chinese generals in North China will join the revolt against Nanking but they also know that the Big Five—Yen Hsi-shan, Sung Chieh-yuan, Fu Tso-yi, Chin Teh-chun and Shang Chen—could never work harmoniously together and that it is imperative to have some "strong man", more than a mere figurehead, to keep them from tearing at each other's throats once they are free from Nanking's nominal control.

In this group are two leaders stronger than the others, General Yen Hsi-shan, Pacification Commander of Shansi Province, who controls Fu Tso-yi, governor of Suiyuan Province; and General Sung Chieh-yuan, who controls Chin Teh-chun, governor of Chahar. General Shang Chen, governor of Hopei, is something of a weak sister. General Han Fu-chu, governor of Shantung, is a powerful leader, but is something of a question mark to the Japanese as he is satisfied with Nanking as long as Nanking leaves him alone. The Japanese nevertheless figure that Shantung will be with Chahar, Hopei, Shansi and Suiyuan provinces when the break comes against Nanking.

Not Committed

According to one member of the old Chihli Clique which ruled North China before Chiang Kai-shek's rise to power and glory and who claims to have been present when these matters were discussed between Japanese and Chinese leaders, nothing has been yet definitely decided.

The Japanese have not yet committed themselves to the North China separatist movement and will be content with Nanking's nominal control if Nanking grants Japan's wishes, which are virtual demands.

These include Japanese exploitation of mines and communications, purchase of property, reduction of tariffs on Japanese imports, recognition of Manchukuo and Japanese aid in fighting Communists on the frontiers.

If these demands are not granted, then Japan will not only support but foster independence in North China and see that the new government will have what the Japanese love to call "sincerity" in their attitude of friendship towards Japan.

Japanese are not unanimous in their views on the issue, and there is some bickering and dispute among their own ranks. One group believes Japan can obtain what she wants eventually, without riding a tiger. Another group, which seems to be in the majority, demands action and a new state. Older and wiser heads counsel patience until all preliminary problems to the establishment of a new state, can be worked out.

This informant said his observations of the trend and the present status of affairs leads him to the conclusion that it is only a matter of time until independence is declared and achieved.—*United Press*.

BELGIANS BEAT
BRITONS AT
BEER-DRINKING

Munich, Oct. 20.

The Englishman, the Australian and the German stand at the bottom of the class when it comes to drinking alcohol, according to Nazi statistics.

The list shows that the Frenchman and the Swis drink on the average, five times more every year than any one of them.

Here are the figures per head per year in litres (about 1½ pints):

France and Switzerland . . . 5
Spain, Sweden, Czechoslovakia . . . 4
Hungary and Austria . . . 3½
Belgium, Bulgaria, Holland . 3
England, Australia, Germany 1

When it comes to wine drinking, France is again in the lead with an average yearly consumption per head of 100 litres.

As for beer, Germany has to take second place to Belgium where an average of over 100 litres is absorbed.—*Reuter*.

SINGER CLAIMS
£20,000 FOR
NORMANDIE'S
'VIBRATION'

New York, Oct. 15.
NASTIA POLIAOVA, a Russian singer, has filed an action in New York claiming £20,000 damages from the French Line, owners of the Normandie.

She claims to have been a first-class passenger in the ship, and says that its vibration caused an internal injury which necessitated her undergoing an operation.

Officials of the line ridicule the assertion.—*United Press*.

WHAT IS AN
ELEPHANT'S
MAN-POWER?

An elephant can, if it tries, spring more than a little surprise. It can shift trees and lift trees. Or chase you and place you.

Right up in the air by its eyes. Miss Hanna, a Siamese elephant now in Japan, has been doing her best to vindicate this English nursery rhyme; but English experts complain that her best is not as good as it should be.

In a recent "tug-of-war" in the Tokyo Zoo, she was able to hold her own with only 55 men, and that by collapsing on her knees.

From inquiries, it appears that, while it is not good for an elephant to indulge in such direct trials of strength, a higher standard would be expected of any large, full-grown elephant. An official of the London Zoo thought that 55 men was not many—but added that the history of the Zoo threw no direct light on what might be expected of an elephant in this way.

Mr. Bertram Mills
Mr. Bertram Mills thought that Miss Hanna did not look a very big elephant. From her photograph, he stated, he would guess that she was about 25-25 years old and only about three parts grown.

"I have seen elephants," he added, "that 100 men could not hold; and once a big elephant gets going I doubt if 500 men could stop her. Obviously it depends a great deal on both the size of the elephant and how the pull started. An elephant may weigh anything from one to five tons, and a tug-of-war is, after all, very largely a matter of weight against weight."

Mr. Mills also considered that he would like to be assured that the proper tug-of-war rules, as followed at the Military Tournament at Olympia, had been obeyed before any precise value was attached to such a performance.

Mr. George Sanger, also of circus fame, added the view that a big elephant ought to be able to pull 100 men with ease.

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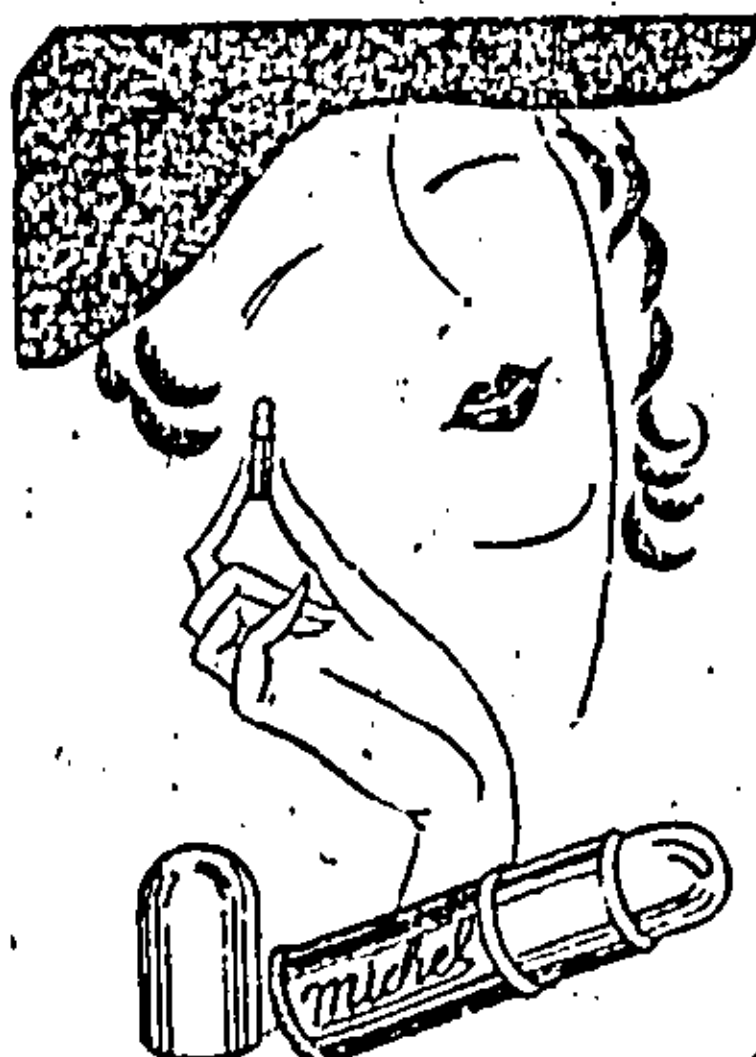
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Mr. A. H. Paterson B.A. (Oxon.) will speak on "THE NATIONAL THEATRE".

Before the lecture, general business will be dealt with:—

(1) Approval of accounts for 1934-35.

(2) Election of office-bearers for 1935-36.

Those who wish to have tea in the lecture-hall are asked to order it the day before, from the Matron of the Helena May Institute (Tel. 22160).

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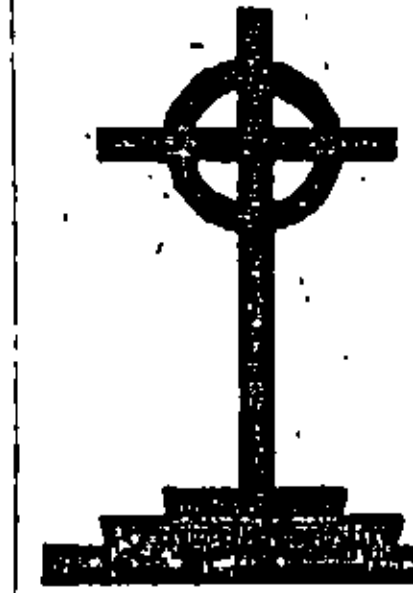
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Sir Robert and Lady Ho Tung have issued invitations to a garden party at No. 254, The Peak, next Wednesday, November 6, at 3.30 p.m., for the purpose of meeting the Vice-President of the United States of America and the congressional delegation to the Philippines Inauguration of the Commonwealth.

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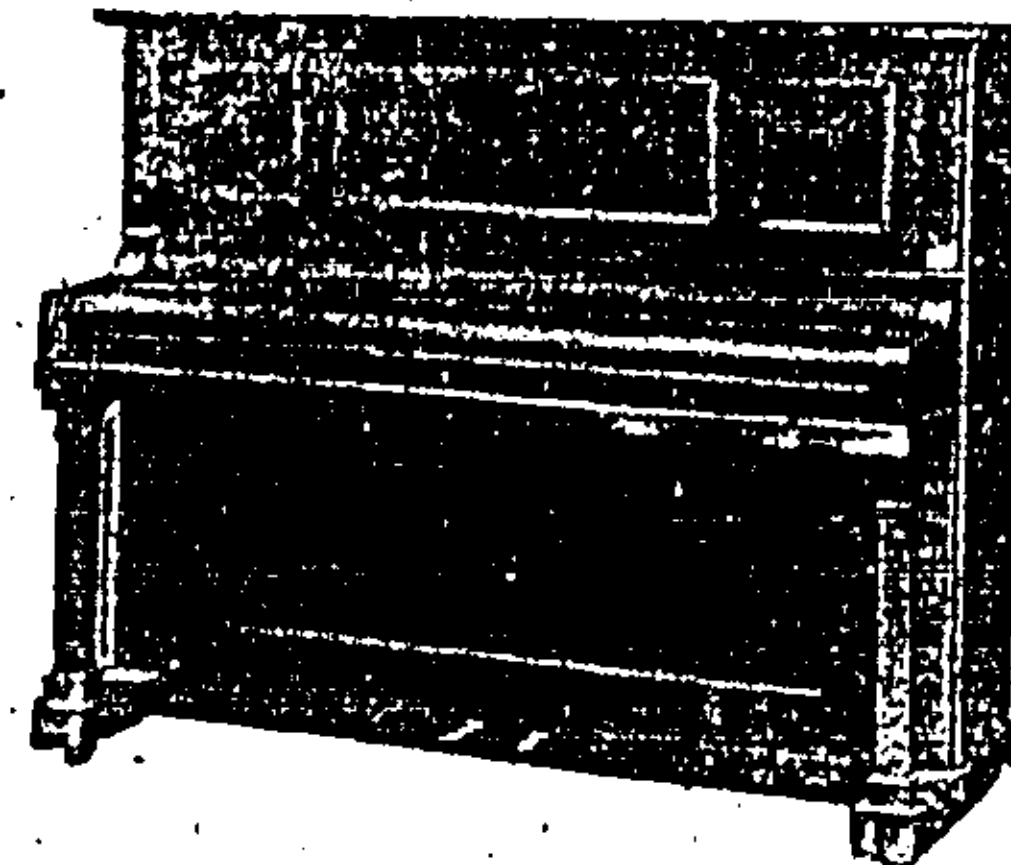
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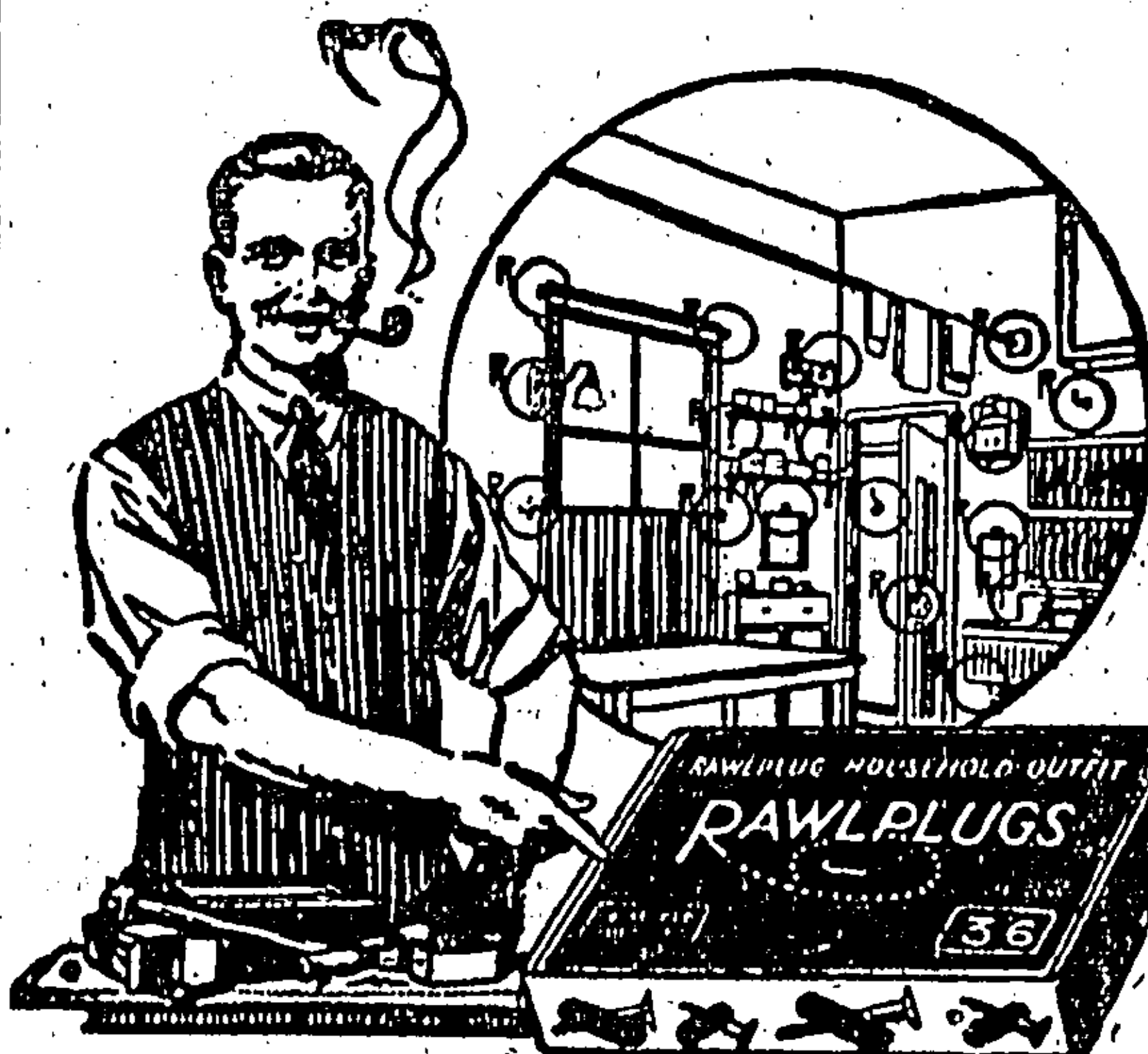
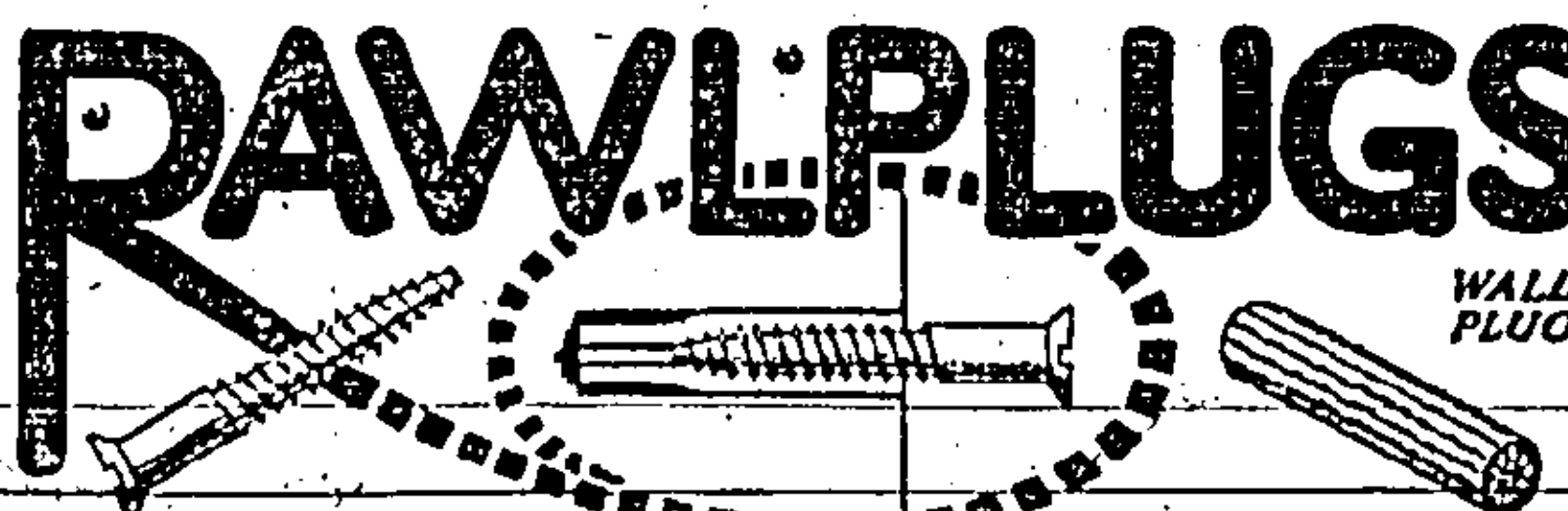
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In future all parcels for China must be sealed before they can be accepted by the Post Office.

CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR PARCEL MAILS FOR GREAT BRITAIN

Christmas and New Year Parcel Mails for Great Britain will be closed in the General Post Office as follows:

Scatter	Date of Closing	Date due at London
Home	Noon, 8th November	15th December
Rawalpindi	5 p.m., 16th November	10th December

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VIA SIBERIA ROUTE

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INWARD MAILS

Straits and Air Mail ex Imperial Airways Service (London, 22nd October)	Agapenor	November 5.
Shanghai	Ajax	November 5.
Hai Phong	Canton	November 5.
Japan	Hawaii Maru	November 5.
U.S.A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai (Seattle, 16th October)	Pres. Grant	November 5.
Manila	Scharnhorst	November 5.
Shanghai and Europe via Siberia (London, 17th October)	Sphinx	November 5.
Saigon	Bontekoe	November 6.
Japan	Bokuyo Maru	November 6.
Japan	Italy Maru	November 6.
Japan	Melbourne Maru	November 6.
Canada, U.S.A., Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B.C., 19th October)	Empress of Asia	November 7.
Amoy	Talma	November 7.
Japan	Taishima Maru	November 7.
Japan and Shanghai	Fushimi Maru	November 8.
Manila	General Pershing	November 8.
Straits and Europe via Negapatnam (Letters and Papers) London, 18th October—and Air Mail ex Amsterdam Bandoeng Service (Amsterdam, 26th October)	Hakusan Maru	November 8.
Japan	Jeyapore	November 8.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 11th Oct.)	Pres. Polk	November 8.
Japan and Shanghai	Somali	November 8.
Australia and Manila	Taipung	November 8.
Japan	Toyooka Maru	November 8.
Shanghai	Tyndareus	November 9.
Shanghai	Conte Rosso	November 10.
Japan	Taiyo Maru	November 10.
Japan	Ginjo Maru	November 11.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 18th Oct.)	Pres. Pierce	November 11.
Java and Manila	Tjisaraen	November 11.
Straits	Aeneas	November 12.
Calcutta and Straits	Takada	November 12.
Java	Tjibadak	November 13.
Calcutta and Straits	Kunsang	November 14.
Japan	Noto Maru	November 14.
Japan	Penang Maru	November 14.

OUTWARD MAILS

For	Per Monday.	Date and Time
Samshui and Wuchow	Kongso	Mon, Nov. 4, 4 p.m.
Shanghai and Europe via Siberia	Gansterkerk	Mon, Nov. 4, 4.30 p.m.
Dairen	Nanchang	Mon, Nov. 4, 4.30 p.m.
Tuesday.		
Letters for "Saigon-Marseilles Air Sphinx Mail Service" (Due Marseilles, 18th November).	G.P.O.	
Reg., Nov. 4, 4.30 p.m.	Reg., Nov. 5, 9.00 a.m.	
Letters, Nov. 5, 9.00 a.m.	Letters, Nov. 5, 9.30 a.m.	
Batavia	Tjilalak	Tues, Nov. 5, 9.30 a.m.
Saigon, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, Hawaii Maru	Sphinx	Tues, Nov. 5.
*East and *South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles (Due Marseilles, 2nd December)	G.P.O.	
Reg., Nov. 5, 9 a.m.	Reg., Nov. 5, 9.45 a.m.	
Letters, Nov. 5, 10 a.m.	Letters, Nov. 5, 10.30 a.m.	
Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Szechuen	Tues, Nov. 5, 1 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, Hawaii Maru	Hawaii Maru	Tues, Nov. 5, 2.30 p.m.
*East and South Africa	Italian	Tues, Nov. 5, 3 p.m.
*Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Hydrea	Tues, Nov. 5, 3 p.m.
*Swatow	Hydrea	Tues, Nov. 5, 4 p.m.
Samshui and Wuchow	Tai Hing	Tues, Nov. 5, 4 p.m.
Shanghai and Europe via Siberia Scharnhorst	Tues, Nov. 5, 4.30 p.m.	
Wednesday.		
Foochow via Swatow	Hopang	Wed, Nov. 6, 10.30 a.m.
Letters for "Imperial Airways Service" (Due London, 22nd November).	G.P.O.	
Reg., Nov. 6, 11.30 a.m.	Reg., Nov. 6, Noon.	
Letters, Nov. 6, Noon.	Letters, Nov. 6, 12.30 p.m.	
Letters for "Bandoeng-Amsterdam Ajax Air Mail Service" (Due Amsterdam 18th November).	G.P.O.	
Reg., Nov. 6, 11.30 a.m.	Reg., Nov. 6, Noon.	
Letters, Nov. 6, Noon.	Letters, Nov. 6, 12.30 p.m.	
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. Ajax and S. Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles (Due Marseilles, 5th December).	G.P.O.	
Reg., Nov. 6, Noon.	Reg., Nov. 6, 12.45 p.m.	
Letters, Nov. 6, Noon.	Letters, Nov. 6, 1.30 p.m.	
Swatow	Seistan	Wed, Nov. 6, 3 p.m.
Amoy	Tsitan	Wed, Nov. 6, 3.30 p.m.
Manila	Pres. Grant	Wed, Nov. 6, 4.30 p.m.
Thursday.		
Australia and New Zealand via Melbourne Maru	Thurs, Nov. 7.	
Brishane	Nov. 7, Noon.	
(Due Brishane, 21st November).	Reg., Nov. 7, 12.45 p.m.	
Letters, Nov. 7, 1.30 p.m.	Letters, Nov. 7, 1.30 p.m.	
Straits and Calcutta	Kutsang	Thurs, Nov. 7.
Parcels, Nov. 7, 1 p.m.	Letters, Nov. 7, 2 p.m.	
Manila	Emp. of Asia	Thurs, Nov. 7, 4.30 p.m.
Friday.		
Hoihow	Muhman	Fri, Nov. 8, 11 a.m.
Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Hueh	Fri, Nov. 8, 1 p.m.
Haiphong	Canton	Fri, Nov. 8, 2 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haining	Fri, Nov. 8, 3 p.m.
Formosa, Shanghai and Japan	Hakusan Maru	Fri, Nov. 8, 3.30 p.m.
Manila	Pres. Polk	Fri, Nov. 8, 5 p.m.
*Straits and Europe via Marseilles Fushimi Maru	Fri, Nov. 8.	
(Due Marseilles, 8th December)	G.P.O.	
Reg., Nov. 8, 8.30 p.m.	Reg., Nov. 8, 4.15 p.m.	
Letters, Nov. 8, 4.30 p.m.	Letters, Nov. 8, 5 p.m.	
Shanghai, Japan, U.S.A., Central General Pershing	Fri, Nov. 8.	
and South America, *Canada and *Europe via San Francisco and *Europe via Siberia	Parcels, Nov. 8, 3 p.m.	
(Due San Francisco, 1st December).	Reg., Nov. 8, 4.15 p.m.	
Letters, Nov. 8, 5 p.m.	Letters, Nov. 8, 5 p.m.	

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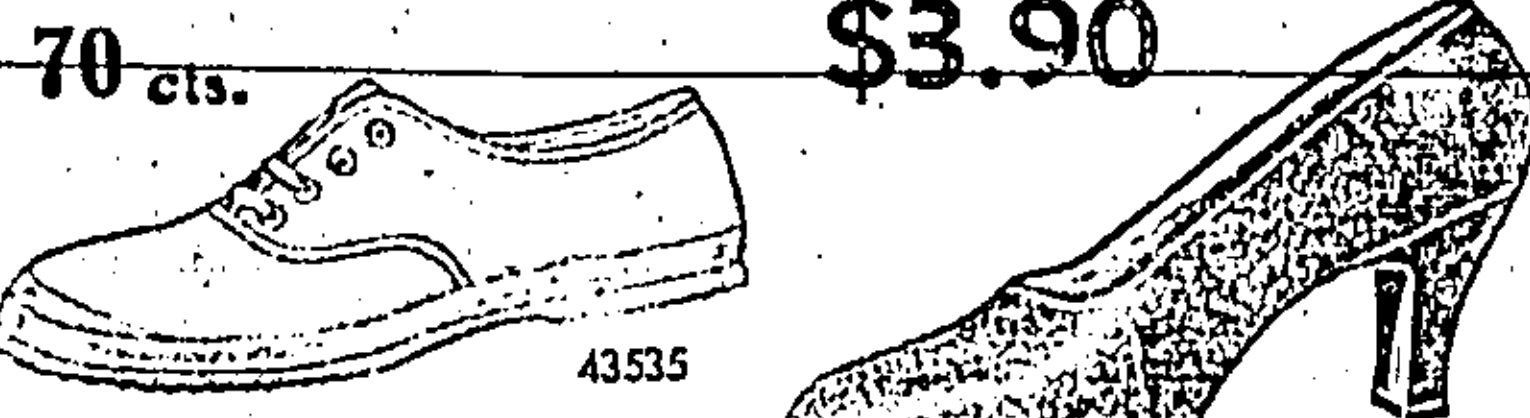
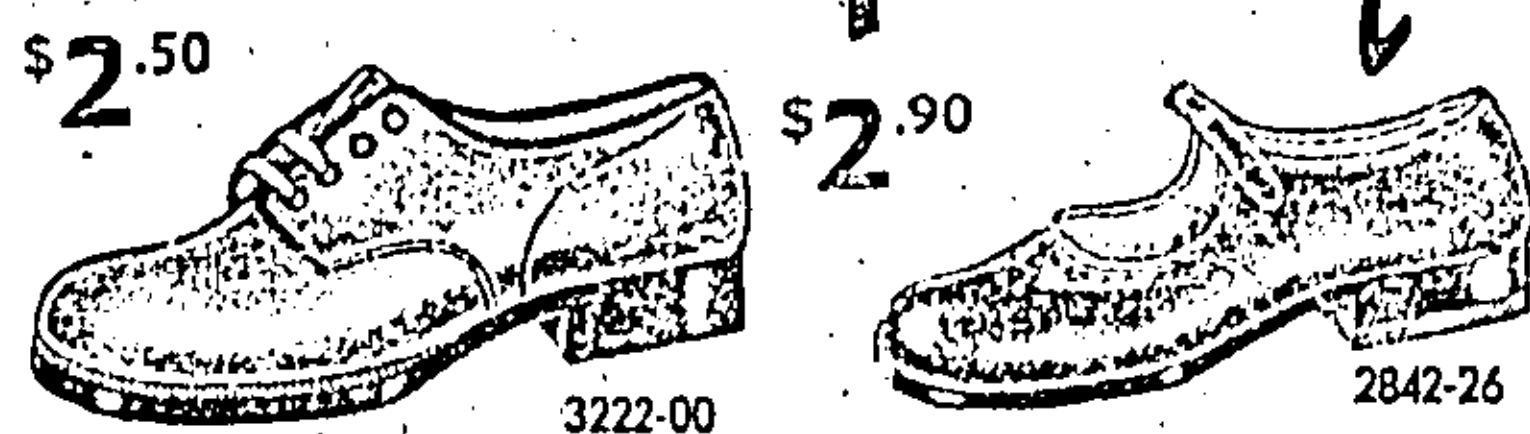
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CHAOS IN EXCHANGE CIRCLES

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were 30.00, Sterling 1/2-5/8, and Gold Bars \$1,148.50.—United Press.

MONEY-CHANGERS CAUTIOUS

Armed with several ten dollar notes, a representative of the Hongkong Telegraph this morning made the round of the local money-changing establishments in an endeavour to obtain silver coins.

At only one place was he successful. One money-changer consented to give \$9.85 for a ten dollar note.

Another consented to change a five-dollar note, but gave only ten-cent coins. Others stated that they had no silver.

This is the culmination of a remarkable week-end. Early on Saturday morning, when the dollar stood at 1s. 9 1/2 d. a rush set in, and practically every money-changer in town was denuded of silver \$1 coins.

PARITY RATE

Because of the heavy drop in Hongkong's exchange during the past week, without a corresponding drop in the price of silver, Hongkong \$1 coins now have a silver content greatly in excess of the exchange value.

On its silver content the Hongkong dollar is actually worth 2s. 0 1/2 d. when sold as silver.

Sold for what it is—a silver dollar—it was worth only 1s. 8 1/2 d. when this morning's exchange rate was posted, with the business rate as low as 1s. 6 1/2 d. From reliable sources it is learned that silver bullion and coins to the value of \$16,000,000 were shipped from Hongkong by foreign banks on Saturday, this large consignment going by the P. & O. liner Chitral. Interviewed this morning, officials of leading banks, whilst confirming the fact that the shipment had been made, refused to divulge the quantity shipped from each bank, or the ratio of silver bullion and coins shipped from the Colony.

ANGLO-CHINESE AGREEMENT?

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present not informed of the details of the reported Leith-Ross agreement.—United Press.

MOVE TOWARDS SOLIDITY

The Times says the scheme will be universally welcomed and if faithfully carried out will provide a basis for putting China's finance in a permanently sound condition.

The News Chronicle asks whether China is strong enough to carry through this monetary policy which many believe to be beyond the powers of western countries.

The Daily Mail declares the Chinese Government's announcement will be widely welcomed in the City. The scheme is drawn up along the most constructive modern lines and will undoubtedly meet the requirements of the Chinese financial position. It may well prove of inestimable value to the Chinese people, and help to bring them fresh prosperity, by facilitating trade.

TEST OF STRENGTH

The Financial News says that well-informed quarters in London take the announcement with regard to the stabilisation of the Chinese dollar to mean that the authorities will endeavour to keep the currency steady in relation with sterling. It remains to be seen whether the Chinese Government will be able to compel the surrender of privately owned silver stocks.

Its ability to collect a large amount of silver will determine whether the Government is able to maintain exchange at its present level. It is felt there is a fair chance for the reform to succeed.

This paper mentions in passing, that the American silver policy may be modified.—Reuter.

SANITARY BOARD

ADDITION PROPOSED TO MARKET BY-LAWS

At to-morrow's meeting of the Sanitary Board, the President, pursuant to notice, will move:

"That the following addition be made to the Market By-laws.—28. No flesh of any animal slaughtered in the Government slaughter-house at Sai Wan Ho shall be exposed for sale in any market in the Colony other than the markets at Quarry Bay, Sai Wan Ho and Shaukiwan and no flesh of any animal slaughtered in the Government Slaughter-house at Aberdeen shall be exposed for sale in any market in the Colony other than the market at Aberdeen. This by-law shall come into operation on the 1st January, 1936."

Other business will include—A letter from the Hon. Mr. M. K. Lo regarding that no further motion is necessary to include within his motion dated 22nd October, 1935 the other areas affected; Application for an eating house licence at No. 102, Chung Young Street, ground floor; Application for an offensive trade licence to

FOREIGN BANKS TO FIGHT?

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formal comment, members of the Government indicated that they regarded China's new currency measures as timely, designed simultaneously to strengthen the Central Government and to stabilise currency against fluctuations which have tormented banks and commercial men for many months.

The programme is briefly described expertly, as an enlargement of a managed currency, the basis on which China has operated for some time past.

Numerous experts regard the step as a resourceful measure of a kind which it has long been recognised China needs, in face of the failure of international monetary powers to concur in methods to remedy China's monetary troubles. Official sources said the United States Treasury was not involved in the step and as far as is known other Governments are not involved, although unofficial experts believe the British economist, Sir Frederick Leith-Ross, was probably consulted before this latest step was taken by Nanking.

The nationalisation order is regarded as a gigantic measure, the full success of which is dependent upon the methods the Government employs in execution. Absence of details causes experts to reserve judgment.

STRENGTHENING NANKING

It is widely felt, however, that unification of the note issue will greatly strengthen the Central Government. It is believed that public faith in the note issue will be strengthened as a result of the combining of the resources of the banks.

It is felt that the recent success of the Central Government in distributing notes in the interior of China has encouraged this new step.

The consolidation of power to buy or sell exchange is regarded as conducive to stabilisation of the yuan which the Government and a widespread section of the business world desired.

Experts suggest that the chief problem in the programme will be the maintenance of a high silver coverage for the note issue, but as coverage to date has been higher than many nations' it is believed the Government can continue to maintain it by a judicious exercise of authority.—United Press.

RADIO BROADCAST

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8.45 a.m. Weekly Newsletter and Sports Summary.
9.5 a.m. Close down.
10.5 a.m. Transmission 6 (G.S.D., G.S.C. and G.S.L.)
11 a.m. Big Ben, Music of the English Countryside, Winifred Davis (Soprano) and Leonard Innes (Pianoforte).
Greenwich Time Signal at 11.30 a.m.
11.45 a.m. Weekly Newsletter and Sports Summary.
12.5 p.m. Close down.
Transmission 2 (G.S.C., G.S.L. and G.S.D.)
7 p.m. Big Ben, Reginald Porter-Brown, at the Organ of the Royal Cinema, Terquay.
7.45 p.m. "The Empires."
Greenwich Time Signal at 12.0 Noon.
8.30 p.m. The B.B.C. Midland Orchestra.
9 p.m. The News.
9.20 p.m. Musical Interlude.
9.30 p.m. An Organ Recital by Sir Walter Alcock.
9.45 p.m. Close down.
Transmission 3 (G.S.C. 10-11.45 p.m.; G.S.E. 10 p.m.-1 a.m.; G.S.B. 12-1 a.m.)
10.45 p.m. "The New Horizons."
11 p.m. The B.B.C. Northern Ireland Orchestra.
11.30 p.m. "Looking Backwards."
12.10 a.m. The Hungary Gipsy Band.
Greenwich Time Signal at 4.30 p.m.
12.30 a.m. The News.
12.50 a.m. Gipsy Music.
1 a.m. Close down.
Transmission 4 (G.S.B. and G.S.D.)
PART I
1.15 a.m. Big Ben. The B.B.C. Dance Orchestra.
2 a.m. The News.
2.15 a.m. Light Music.
2.30 a.m. The B.B.C. Northern Orchestra.
Greenwich Time Signal at 7 p.m.
3.15 a.m. The Radio Follies.
4 a.m. "Turn-round."
4.40 a.m. Close down.
PART II
4.55 a.m. Debroy Boners and his Band.
5.30 a.m. "High Spots"—No. 2.
5.45 a.m. The News.
Greenwich Time Signal at 10 p.m.
6 a.m. The B.B.C. Orchestra (Section B).
6.45 a.m. Close down.

Pleading guilty to charges of stealing nine bronze window fasteners, from No. 25 King's Park Mansion, Kimberley Road, on November 1, and eight window fasteners and a quantity of other house fittings from Jubilee Apartments, on October 27, Man Yung, 27, unemployed, was sentenced to a total of four months' hard labour by Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning. Detective-Sergeant D. Davies stated that defendant was arrested in Kimberley Road on November 1 by two Chinese detectives. He had in his possession a parcel which was found to contain the fasteners mentioned in the first charge.

cleanse sharks' fins at No. 16 Sung Hing Lane, second floor; Application for an offensive trade licence to cleanse sharks' fins at No. 12, Centre Street, third floor; and Regular returns.

SHARE PRICES

The following is the list of local share quotations issued this morning.

Banks.

H. K. Banks, \$1,250 b.
H. K. Banks, (Lon. Reg.), \$107 n.
Chartered Bank, £14 n.
Mercantile Bank, A. and B. £28 1/2 n.
Mercantile Bank C., £12 1/4 n.
East Asia Bank, \$63 n.

Insurance.

Canton In., \$225 b.
Union In., \$475 b.
China Underwriters, \$1.10 s.
China Fire, \$400 n.
H.K. Fire In., \$220 b.
Internat'l. Assec., \$4 n.

Shipping.

Douglas, \$36 n.
H.K. Steamboats, \$4 n.
Indo-Chinas, (Pref.), \$30 n.
Indo-Chinas (Def.), \$11 n.
Shell (Bearer), 80/7 1/2 n.
Union Waterboats, \$11 1/4 n.

Mining.

Antamols, 80 cts. b.
Balatocs, \$16 b.
Baguio Gold, 22 cts. n.
Benguet Consolidated, \$11 b.
Benguet Exp., 13 cts. n.
Big Wedge, 8 cts. n.
Gold Creek, 80 cts. n.
Gold River, 5 1/2 cts. n.
Ipo Mining, 90 cts. n.
Itogons, 36 1/2 cts. n.
Salacot, 15 cts. n.
Kailan, 11/- n.
Langkats (Single), \$13 n.
Shai Explorations, Sh. \$4 1/2 n.
Shai Loans, Sh. \$5 1/4 n.
Raub, \$8 b.
Venz: Goldfield \$2.30 n.

Docks etc.

H.K. Wharves (old), \$78 b.
H.K. Wharves (new), \$73 1/2 n.
H.K. & W. Docks \$9 n.
Providents (old), 85 cts. b.

Providents (new), 20 cts. n.
Hongkong (old), Sh. \$237 1/2 n.
New Engineering, Sh. \$4 n.
Shanghai Docks, Sh. \$30 n.

Cotton Mills.

Ewo Cottons, Sh. \$5.90 n.
Shai Cottons (old), Sh. \$55 n.
Shai Cottons (new), Sh. \$40 n.
Zong Sing, \$5 1/2 n.
Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$25 n.
Lands, Hotels, etc.
H. and S. Hotels, \$4 b.
H.K. Lands, \$20 1/4 b.
H.K. Lands, 4 1/2 Doben.
\$130 n.

Shai Lands, Sh. \$13.90 n.
Metropolitan Lands, Sh. \$10 n.
Humphries \$8 1/2 b.
H.K. Realities \$4 1/4 b.
Chinese Estates, \$86 n.
China Realities, Sh. \$4 n.
China Debentures Sh. \$35 n.

Public Utilities.

H.K. Tramways, \$12 1/4 b.
Peak Trams, (old), \$5 1/4 n.
Peak Trams, (new), \$4 1/2 n.
Star Ferries, \$84 b.
Yauwatt Ferries, (old) \$17 n.
China Lights, \$9 1/2 b.
H.K. Electric, \$58 1/2 b.
Macao Electric, \$20 n.
Sandakan Lights, \$3 s.
Telephone (old), \$20 b.
Telephone (new), \$6.60 b.
China Buses, Sh. \$11 1/4 n.
Singapore Traction, 13/- n.
Singapore Pref. 25/- n.

Industrials

Malabon Sugars, \$3.60 n.
Cald: Macg. (old), Sh. \$19 1/2 n.
Cald: Macg. (Pref.), Sh. \$13 n.
Canton Ices, \$1.60 n.
Coment, \$4 1/4 b.
H.K. Ropes, \$2.80 sa.
Stores, &c.
Dairy Farm, \$14 1/4 b.
Watson, \$3.80 b.
Lane Crawfords, \$2.75 n.
Mackintoshes, \$5 n.
Sinceres, \$1.60 n.
Wm. Powells, 70 cts. n.
Wing On (H.K.), \$40 n.
Miscellaneous
H.K. Entertainments, \$4 n.
S. C. Enterprise \$1.35 n.



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DRIZZLE OR RAIN

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Macao "Greyhounds," \$2 n.
Constructions (old), \$1.10 n.
Constructions (new), 25 cts. s.
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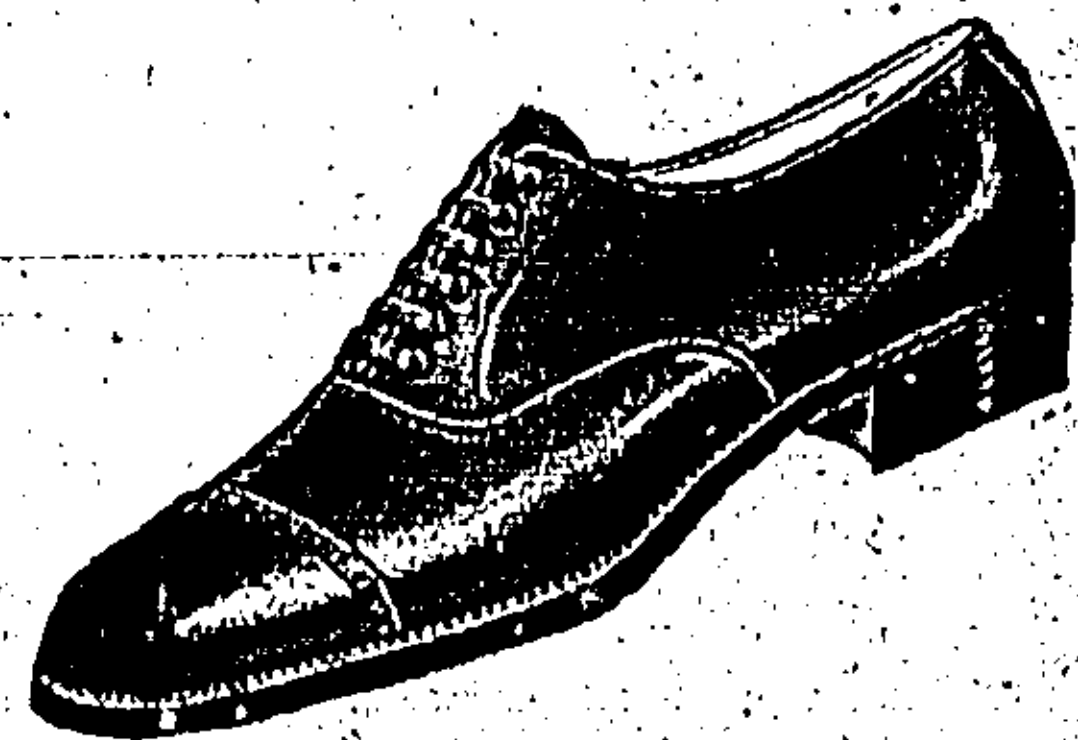
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ELISABETH SCHUMANN—Batti, Batti (Don Giovanni)
No. DB-946

Voi che Sapete (Nozze di Figaro)

RICHARD CROOKS—I Love Thee (Grieg) No. DA.1394
Parted (Tosti)

MICHEL FLETA—Ay, Ay, Ay, (In Spanish) No. DB-1483.
Doloros-Madrigale (Britten)

DALMONTE TOTI—Splendon Lo Sacro Faci-Lucia di Lammermoor
No. DB-1015.

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MONDAY, NOV. 4, 1935.

A SIDELIGHT ON RESTRICTION

Owing to the agricultural depression in most countries today, sums equivalent to many millions of pounds are being paid in bonuses, subsidies and other forms of assistance to agriculture. This point was stressed by Mr. Stanley Bruce, High Commissioner for Australia, in the course of a discussion at the League of Nations Assembly some few weeks ago, when he asked whether it would not be possible that these millions might be better employed in bringing about a greater consumption of products of the land, thereby improving the physical health of the people and the economic wealth of nations. The discussion was on the allied problems of agricultural depression and under-nourishment of the people. It was stated, during the debate, that evidence existed to show that by the increased consumption of certain foods, great improvement in national health and efficiency could be achieved, and in this connection the point is made that in the less developed countries the great masses are living on a bare subsistence level. Even in the most advanced nations, there is a stratum of people unable to obtain adequate nourishment. Sir John Orr, Director of the Rowatt Institute, touching on this point, claims that no fewer than twenty millions of the British population are living on a diet which is deficient in food value, and it is pertinent in this connection to bear in mind that the State is involved in heavy expenditure in the treatment of disease, including that due to bad feeding. Cheap food of the right kinds would undoubtedly enable a lower expenditure on the nation's health services. Lord de la Warr, Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry of Agriculture, has expressed doubts as to the wisdom of the policy of restriction. Speaking of restriction of imports by tariffs and quotas as a solution of the agricultural problems, he pertinently asks whether these measures have not had the result of decreasing the consumption of food, to the loss not only of the consumer but of the farmer as well. Both on health grounds and on economic grounds, he says, limitation of

NOTES OF THE DAY

FILM FANDOM GROWS UP

A great concession has just been made to the film-going public by one of Hollywood's leading personalities. He admits that they may now be said to have grown up. Therefore it has been decided by the intellectuals who cater for so much of the leisure of the British people that films in the future shall be more sophisticated. There will be less labouring of the obvious; audiences will be given credit for a little intelligence, and not treated as a solid mass of low-brows and nitwits. They will even be encouraged to use their imaginations a little more. Many incidentals of the films that used to be deemed essential to their comprehension by the groundlings will now be left out as superfluous. Thanks apparently to the sedulous tuition of Hollywood, audiences have become quicker in the uptake. All this is very comforting, even complimentary. The torch of intellect lit in California has at last penetrated the primeval gloom of the British jungle. But, after all, was it not the Hollywood magnates who themselves had become the slaves of mental obsolescence, blindly following certain conventional lines of campaign while all the time their millions of patrons were wondering when it would dawn on them that the time had come for a change of method? The success of various British films in which the points are not heavily underlined and the audience is given credit for perception certainly supports the theory. The film director quoted above admits proudly that he has not had a holiday for seven years. Now, if he and his kind would shake off the slavery of the machine more frequently, and form new "contacts," with a view to ascertaining what ordinary people think of their efforts, the long overdue improvement in the generality of American films might at last get under weigh. It is much better to overrate than to underrate the intelligence of one's audience. Hollywood's policy of "safety first" should have been down for revision long ago.

A VICEROY'S WISE ADVICE

The system of democratic government about to be introduced into India has found a sensible advocate in Lord Willingdon, the British Viceroy in that country. Lord Willingdon has been pointing out that only by working the reforms can Indians establish a successful claim to their extension. Referring in the legislative Assembly at Simla to recent Hindu-Muslim disturbances of the public peace, Lord Willingdon said: "No system of parliamentary government can be expected to work successfully and for the benefit of the people as a whole without the existence of a spirit of accommodation and willingness on the part of all sections to prefer the wider interests of the entire body politic to the narrower ones of their own particular group. The advice is well timed. The existing Indian legislature has just refused to pass an emergency bill giving to the new administration special powers for maintaining order in such circumstances as those which the Hindu-Muslim riots created. These powers, therefore, have had to be introduced by British authority. It would be premature to draw any conclusions adverse to the new system from the incident that has occurred. It is nevertheless well that the implications of such a happening should be recognised at an early stage. It will be by governing itself in smaller affairs that India will establish its claim to control of those greater.

supply, if carried too far, must result in general impoverishment. The statements quoted, which could be supplemented by others of a like character, serve to show a danger which is apt to be overlooked when applying measures in the hope of bettering the agricultural industry. What is more, they point to the need of a real national food policy being devised and put into operation.

WAR OF HAND AGAINST MACHINE

THE position of the Italian army of East Africa is analogous to that of our own country when operating in South Africa in the Boer War. The Italian plan is based on a short campaign ending before the next rains begin.

Supplies have been accumulated in the two Italian East African colonies sufficient to make the force at least semi-independent over a period of any large shipments through the Suez Canal. The strategy of the campaign evolves from this condition. Decisive results must be obtained within a time limit whose ultimate end is the fall of the rains in the early part of 1936.

It is idle to assume any close knowledge of the plans framed by the Italian Commander-in-Chief, a most able strategist with a tactical reputation still to make. But his intentions are revealed by progressive action, and the little we have seen to date indicates a broad outline.

Briefly, the assumption is that his main attack is in the north from Eritrea, with a holding movement in the south Italian Somaliland.

The slower movement in the south has the effect of tying down a large part of the Abyssinian army against the threat from that quarter and keeping it well away from the chance of any quick junction to aid the defence in the north when heavily pressed.

There are alternative uses for the force in the south. If the northern advance on Addis Ababa is held up in mountainous country, the southern force would press forward to afford relief by a new thrust towards the capital.

THERE is one other condition in the strategical field. The Italian army is divided into halves by the neutral territories of British and French Somaliland, and as a whole has no centre. Assuming that the large force of, perhaps, 180,000, is in the north an objective for it will be to send a flank force towards the railway line and form a centre which would connect with troops sent from the south, and so make a link-up. Troops of this northern flank force are already moving through Aussa along the French frontier.

The southern connecting link, moving near the British border, has not been reported, but this is natural, as the distance is greater and movement slower and determined by the advance of the southern force as a protection.

The formation of a central force may, therefore, be expected to come from the north at first, and the force may get astride the railway line which connects Addis Ababa with the French seaport of Djibouti. The railway line is important, if it can be secured undamaged, for transport for a central attack on the capital.

There is assumption in this, as the French have railway rights, and the two halves of the army might operate without a centre as independent bodies. This is unlikely, as the centre must be cleared.

The current operations in the north have taken the form of a reconnaissance in force and the sentimental capture of Adowa (which town is off the true route) to avenge the defeat sustained in 1896. For some time the Italians can make use of their mechanised equipment, but as the advance goes on into the hill region more dependence will fall to infantry foot and mule-carried light artillery.

The work, in short, will resemble operations on the Indian North-West Frontier, which naturally will have been closely studied in relation to the phase where motor power declines in value and the queen arm of the old battles, infantry, comes into its own.

But under modern conditions the troops will be supported by heavy artillery firing from long distances, on foot, horse, back areas and covered at all times by aircraft.



NOW as to the Abyssinian defence:

The mountains are the chief ally of the 750,000 soldiers, of whom one half are in the North. They have European engineers and artillerymen who know all that the Indian hills can teach them. They have laid out defences in depth which are manned by machine-guns. Hill-posted machine-guns are a great menace, since tanks cannot get at them.

The northern area round the capital is reported to be filled with the pick of the Abyssinian infantry armed with modern rifles, which are limited in number, as also must the ammunition be. But the individual Abyssinian is a first-class marksman who does not waste ammunition, using one round on a certain mark always.

When Abyssinia is drawn from her prepared defences, the issue of prolonged resistance will depend on the correct use of these marksmen. If, because of the loss of prestige by retreat, it is decided to use men in masses, then the Italian task will be the more easy, with big targets for their modern weapons.

If, on the other hand, guerilla warfare is adopted, the rains might intervene before the conquest of the country, as distinct from mere occupation, could be made.

Guerilla warfare is, I know, second nature to the Ethiopian, and he will want it, raiding the columns and communications like a modern De Wet. I recall my own treks after the latter gentleman.

On balance it may be anticipated that, if the Abyssinians do not fight in mass but preserve their men and ammunition, the Italians may not have completed their task within the period of the dry season.

Moreover, guerilla tactics are best in the absence of modern artillery, the few modern Abyssinian guns being light ones and anti-aircraft weapons.

One may anticipate a guerilla policy being adopted after some single defeat in mass. Reasons for adopting it are prolonged residence, giving the Italians the maximum of difficulties; the avoidance of presenting targets for aerial bombing; and the chance of using the Abyssinian horsemen.

An indication of policy is to be found in the fact that the Abyssinians have formed a large cavalry force, estimated at 70,000 men. They are natural horsemen, can live on the country, and are riflemen as well as swordsmen. Part of the force is camelry carrying rifle and lance (native spear).

A force of this size could carry a raiding campaign in aid of scattered infantry groups for a long time and make the Italian lines of communication difficult to hold. Such a force would raid for ammunition and rifles and supplies.

Split up between bodies not too big, these attacks could never be localised and there would always be the chance of a massed charge at formed bodies on the move.

ONE word about water.

The Abyssinians have the lakes and the wells behind them. They can live on one-half of the food needed for a European and need no shelter. They can cover long distances, on foot, horse, back areas and covered at all times by aircraft. As warriors they combine

the adaptability of the Boer with the cunning of the Afriidi.

How long will it take the Italians to over-run the country and establish control?

It took Britain 14 years to recover and administer the Sudan. The Italian view is a short campaign and a period of four years' occupation to set up an effective administration. The calculation is optimistic.

The Very Idea!

NOTES & COMMENTS

More Scraps From Eddie Kelly's Scrapbook

THE Cockney child had just started school.
"What's yer name?" he was asked.
"Fred!"
"Blimey! That ain't a name—that's what yer mudder sews yer pants wiv!"

Isn't It So?

A Sunday school teacher yesterday asked his class to write down a definition of a heathen.
No received the following reply from one precious youngster:
"Heathens are people who don't quarrel over religion!"

Eternal Why

Why do you paint your lips with red?
Dear little girl of the curly head?
Why dot your cheeks with ghastly pink?
Why smudge your eyelashes with ink?
And pluck your eyebrows to extinction?
And achieve feminine distinction
By going platinum? Why apo
A futuristic nude is shown?
Why flatten curves? Why dress like doctress
Of sisters, mothers, aunts, and cousins?
Why? Why? Why? Why? When you possess
Unornamented loveliness?

Judas

On the exterior of the cathedral at Aksum, the Holy City of Ethiopia, are frescoes, one depicting the Last Supper. Twelve of the thirteen characters in this representation are black. The white man is Judas Iscariot.

Howler

A teacher came across the following while marking some recent class papers:
"Gas in its free state refers to that found in Ireland."

Accident

A man entered the out-patients' department of the Kowloon hospital. His head was enveloped in bandages. "Are you married?" asked Doc Smalley.
"No," replied the man, "I've been run over."

Bad Bet

Little Tommy came home from Sunday school yesterday with the distressing news that he had lost the penny given him for the collection. "But that is three Sundays running that you have lost your penny," his mother complained.
"Well, I must win sooner or later," Tommy replied. "Fred's luck can't last for ever."

More Howlers

Here is a selection of "howlers" from the collection of a Lanarkshire teacher:
The Royal Mint is what the King puts on his rear end.
A connoisseur is a person who stands outside a picture-palace.
A coroner's duty is to decide whether a man died a natural or fatal death.
An appendix is a portion of a book which nobody has yet discovered to be of any use.
The cobra is a little donkey that runs about the Himalayas.
Gravity was discovered by Isaac Newton. It is chiefly noticeable in autumn, when the apples are falling from the trees.

SPENDING MILLIONS ON ROADS

BRITAIN'S GREAT PROGRAMME

CHAMBERLAIN OPTIMISTIC

London, Nov. 3. The fact that the Government intends to embark on a five-year plan of road improvement costing hundreds of millions sterling was disclosed by Mr. Neville Chamberlain, during a broadcast last night.

Mr. Chamberlain also revealed that unemployment had decreased in Britain by 40,000 during the month of October, bringing the total workless in the United Kingdom substantially below the million mark for the first time this decade.

The Chancellor of the Exchequer promised that every precaution would be taken to prevent waste and extravagance in carrying out Britain's new defence programme, which will cost many millions above last year's figure. He launched a virulent attack on Mr. Lloyd George's "New Deal", and said that last year the record number of 348,000 new houses had been built in Britain. "Thanks to the general improvement in the national finances we can now go ahead without decreasing expenditure on road-planning," he said.

"The Government intends to master stum clearing, and overcrowding, and will extend the contributory pension schemes. It would be futile, however, to promise an increase in pensions and to make them payable at a lower age. An increase of only five shillings a week in August cost the country the sum of £102,000,000 per annum.—*Reuter Special.*

GOVERNMENT DEFENDED

London, Nov. 3. Mr. Neville Chamberlain, in a broadcast election address on behalf of the National Government last night, replied in detail to the charges of Mr. Lloyd George in the previous speech of the series, and went on to announce a Government five-year programme of road improvement to cost one hundred million pounds.

He said Mr. Lloyd George invariably refused to pay attribution to what was already being done. The Government were always working on new schemes to help industry, and he instanced the huge London transport scheme, involving an expenditure of over thirty million pounds, which would mean orders for rails, vehicles, locomotives and electrical apparatus, giving much employment.

With regard to unemployment, there were 1,087,000 more in employment than when the Government took office, and figures to be published to-morrow would show a reduction of over forty thousand in the numbers unemployed in October compared with the preceding month. He saw no reason to suppose they would not go on reducing unemployment, but the very first result of a return of a Labour Government must be an immediate increase of unemployment. He compared the Labour election programme with the Government's, and claimed that the Government's plans for better housing, educational reform, improved maternity services, and raising the standard of health of the growing generation had everywhere been investigated and judged practicable and wise by men who, he asserted, in contrast with their Labour opponents, did expect to be called on to fulfil their promises.

CONSERVATIVE WEAPON

Speaking at Crewe, Mr. Atlee, Leader of the Labour Opposition said the chief weapon in the Conservative armoury was fear. In 1924 there was the Russian bogey and in 1931 the danger to savings fear.

There were signs that fear would be used in the present election, too, to return the so-called National Government.—*British Wireless.*

SANCTIONS USELESS

SENATOR BORAH'S POINT OF VIEW

Boise, Nov. 3. Senator Borah, interviewed by the *United Press* to-day, said League penalties would not end the Italo-Ethiopian war. "They cannot weaken Italy that much," he said.

The war was being fought because Italy wanted more territory. England, he said, was working with the League against Italy because they fear African Italy was endangered.—*United Press.*

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

BAZAAR DONORS THANKED

The Committee of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul desire to convey through this medium their grateful thanks to all those who were responsible for the success of the 1935 bazaar. To the many generous contributors to the general fund of the bazaar; to the helpers and various stores; to the offices and firms who presented novelties and prizes for the different stalls; to the Credit Foncier d'Extreme Orient for the loan of the ground of the fête; to Rev. Fr. Rossi, the Rector of Rosary Church for the loan of several equipment; to the China Provident Loan & Mortgage Co., Ltd., for the loan of a motor lorry; to The China Light & Power Co., Ltd., for illuminations; Messrs. Watson & Co., for aerated waters and Coca-Cola; to the Britannia Aerated Water Factory for aerated waters; the Club de Regatta for the loan of the Hong Kong Tramway Co., Ltd., Peak Tramway Co., China Motor Bus Co., Kowloon Motor Bus Co., for advertising facilities; to the Dairy Farm Ice & Cold Storage Co., Ltd., for gifts; to the Police Department and the Fire Brigade for the excellent respective arrangements; to Mr. L. A. Barton for the conveyance of the takings after the fête; to the Children of Mary Stall, the Little Flower Club Stall, the Ten Cents Stall, St. Mary's Ladies Association Stall, Mrs. Briggs' stall, St. Mary's C.Y.M. Association stall, St. John of Arc stall, St. Teresa's C.Y.M. Society's stall, the Wah Yan College Photographic stall, the Hot Dog and Tea Stall, Souvenir stall etc., for gifts and invaluable services; and last but not the least to Rev. Fr. Ryan, S.J., for his broadcast and the Press for their customary support, and all others who in any way contributed to the success of the bazaar whose names might inadvertently have been omitted hereinafter.

While final accounting is not yet possible, it is estimated this year's receipts will somewhat exceed last year's, which speaks volumes for the generosity of the Hongkong public considering prevailing conditions.

While the bazaar is one of the means for obtaining funds, the Society also relies, even to a greater extent, to the "Rose Day" which will be held on December 2 and is optimistic enough to hope that the charitable disposed Hongkong public will respond nobly to a worthy cause—the alleviation of the distressed.

SELF-CONFESSED SNATCHER

TWO MAGISTRATES HEAR CASE

On the application of Detective Sergeant C. Dowman, a charge against Chan Lee, aged 26, unemployed, was taken before two Magistrates, Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones and Mr. W. M. Thomson, at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning. Defendant was charged with stealing \$300 from Fung Wing, aged 40, stall faki, yesterday. Defendant pleaded guilty and was remanded for seven days in gaol.

In outlining the case, Detective Sergeant Dowman stated that about 1 p.m. yesterday complainant had the money in his pocket. He was walking along Shanghai Street and when near Shek Lung Street defendant came up and put his hand into the pocket and he was seized by complainant. Defendant dropped the money on the ground and complainant released him to pick up the money, and the man ran away. Complainant gave chase and caught the snatcher in the side lane near the Yau-mat Theatre. On being caught, defendant gave the remainder of the money back to complainant and asked to be excused, but he refused to do so and he was taken back to the complainant's shop.

At the shop, the money was counted to see if it was all there. Defendant again asked to be excused and was told that it was a matter for the police. Police whistles were blown and defendant was handed over to a constable who appeared on the scene.

Defendant had against him a previous conviction for returning from banishment and had been convicted on two previous charges of larceny. He was banished in 1923.

DEATH OF MR. J. E. P. WALKER

PASSES AWAY IN AUSTRALIA

News has been received in the Colony of the death of Mr. J. E. P. Walker, formerly manager of the National Mutual Life Association of Australasia, Ltd. The deceased retired in July, 1932, to take up residence at Woodland Park, Lakesland, N. S. W., Australia. He was connected with the National Mutual Life Association for a number of years.

Mr. Walker was one of the foundation members of the Australia and New Zealand Association of Hongkong. He leaves a widow, for whom much sympathy will be felt.

CHILD AND FORTUNE GO TO WIDOW

DRAMATIC LAWSUIT CONCLUDES

MURDER TRIAL RECALLED

Raleigh, N. Carolina, Nov. 2. The last curtain fell to-day on a drama that started in Hongkong over two years ago.

The central figures were C. Smith Reynolds, multi-millionaire tobacco magnate who was mysteriously slain last year, his wife, Libby Holmes, a famous "torch" singer, and their two-year-old son.

Reynolds, on an air-hunting expedition to French Indo-China in 1933, crashed at Haiphong and, according to the excellent respective arrangements; to Mr. L. A. Barton for the conveyance of the takings after the fête; to the Children of Mary Stall, the Little Flower Club Stall, the Ten Cents Stall, St. Mary's Ladies Association Stall, Mrs. Briggs' stall, St. Mary's C.Y.M. Association stall, St. John of Arc stall, St. Teresa's C.Y.M. Society's stall, the Wah Yan College Photographic stall, the Hot Dog and Tea Stall, Souvenir stall etc., for gifts and invaluable services; and last but not the least to Rev. Fr. Ryan, S.J., for his broadcast and the Press for their customary support, and all others who in any way contributed to the success of the bazaar whose names might inadvertently have been omitted hereinafter.

NO GOVERNMENT STATEMENT

Colonial Secretary's Explanation

A *United Press* message from Shanghai this morning stated that rumours were prevailing there that a currency announcement by the Hongkong Government was impending.

Asked whether this was correct, the acting Colonial Secretary (Hon. Mr. D. W. Trautman) stated that the Government had been watching the situation most carefully for many weeks, and was still doing so. Beyond that, said Mr. Trautman, he could make no pronouncement whatever on the subject.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

HOPE IS THE CHIEF BLESSING OF MAN: AND THAT HOPE ONLY IS RATIONAL—OF WHICH WE ARE SENSIBLE THAT IT CANNOT DECEIVE US.—*Johnson.*

Latest transfers in the Hongkong Police Force include that of Acting Sub-Inspector Hughes from Yau-mat to Central, and Sergeant Goddard from Central to Tsimshatsui.

The forthcoming wedding is announced of Dr. Tom George Rye-castle-Woods, M. R. C. S., L. R. C. P., en route from Yunnan to Hongkong, and Miss Berna Iris Lester, teacher, who is on her way from England aboard the R. M. S. Naldora.

At the Rosary Church on Sunday afternoon, the wedding took place of Miss Maria C. da Cruz and Mr. Joaquim J. Gutierrez, the Rev. Father Rossi officiating. The bridegroom is the local representative of the Manufacturers' Life Insurance Co. and agent of the Company at Macao. The honeymoon is being spent in Saigon.

Ng Sek-wo appeared before Mr. Schofield at the Central Magistracy charged with the larceny of 380 of Queen's Road West, the property of Ng Kum-yuen, master of the Kwong Wah Printing Shop. Defendant was bound over in the bond of \$100 to be of good behaviour for one year, as his master stated that he would take him back.

Isabel Gil de Sola Viuda de Tuason, widow, who died at her residence 666A, Mahini Street, Manila, on June 10 last, left estate sworn under \$301,200, to be equally divided among her five children. They are Carolina Tuason, Juan M. Tuason, Ana Tuason, Jesus M. Tuason and Manuel N. Tuason. The Supreme Court has granted letters of administration on the petition of Mr. G. G. N. Tinson, lawful attorney.

Harvest Festival was observed at St. Andrew's Church yesterday, the Church being beautifully decorated for the occasion. At the morning service, at which the preacher was the Vicar (Rev. J. R. Higgs), the choir rendered Stainer's anthem, "Ye shall dwell in the land that I gave to your fathers." The solo-boy was Victor Millington, while the bass soloist was Mr. C. W. E. Bishop. In the evening, the Magnificat was sung to Stanford's setting in B flat. A solo was also sweetly rendered by the Rev. H. W. Balcan. Next Sunday will be observed as Remembrance Sunday when special hymns will be sung and the anthem will be Geoffrey Shaw's "O brother man, fold to thy heart thy brother".

MAN RESISTS SEARCH

FOUND WITH KNIFE AND HAMMER

Cheng Sap-sam, alias Cheng Chung-hui, aged 28, unemployed, appeared before Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, charged with the possession of instruments fit for an unlawful purpose and refusing to be searched. He was convicted on both counts and sentenced to two months' hard labour on the first and on the second a fine of \$25, with the alternative one month, was imposed.

Inspector Portinhal stated that about 3 a.m. yesterday Lance-Sergeant G. C. Moss was on duty at Reclamation Street, near Mong-kok Road, when he saw defendant acting in a suspicious manner by looking in the doorways. Sergeant Moss went up to the man and asked to search him and had to resort to force to make the man put up his hands. They struggled and on the way to the police station they met Chinese constable C610. The two policemen searched defendant and found a hammer and a knife in his possession.

Defendant pleaded that he intended to re-make the hammer in order to use it for breaking stones. The knife he used for cutting his nails.

H.M.S. LOWESTOFT LEAVES

The naval authorities announce that H.M.S. Lowestoft sailed for Singapore this morning on exercises and will return in due course.

fully endeavoured to obtain custody of the child, and civil proceedings have lasted for over eighteen months.

The North Carolina lower court awarded custody to the mother. Against this decision the Reynolds family appealed to the State Supreme Court.

This morning five solemn judges re-affirmed the lower court decision.

Their decision is tantamount to awarding Libby and her son U.S. \$7,000,000 in the Reynolds estate. Throughout the long trial and appeal the two-year-old boy has been jealously guarded by armed detectives at the seaside cottage where Libby lived with the heir to the Reynolds tobacco millions, and every precaution has been taken to prevent gangsters from snatching the boy who has now become the world's richest infant.—*United Press.*

RADIO BROADCAST

Relay of Hongkong Hotel Dance Orchestra

Z.E.K. PROGRAMME

From Z.E.W. on a wavelength of 365 metres (845 kilocycles) 5-8 p.m. European Programme. 5-7 p.m. A Relay of the Hongkong Hotel Dance Orchestra. 7-7.25 p.m. Selections from Musical Comedy. Stand Up and Sing. Ball at the Savoy. Conversation Piece. 7.25-7.42 p.m. Leslie Hutchinson at the Piano.

1. Maybe I'm Wrong again. 2. Back to those happy days. 3. Wakol from "Cock O' the North". 4. I only have eyes for you from "Dames". 5. June in January from "Here is my heart".

7.42-8 p.m. Light Orchestral Music. A Waltz Dream—Potpourri (Strauss, arr. Dostal). Fantasia on the Song "Long, Long ago" (Dittlich). Tales from the Vienna Woods (Strauss). 8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report; Closing Local Stock Quotations.

8.05-10.30 p.m. Chinese Studio Concert. 10.30 p.m. Close Down. 8.05-10 p.m. European Programme From Z.E.K. on a Frequency Of 640 kilocycles.

8.05-8.18 p.m. Four Songs from the film "Hooray for Love" coming to the King's Theatre shortly.

1. You're an Angel—Fox-Trot. 2. I'm in Love all over Again—Fox-Trot. 3. Hooray for Love—Fox-Trot. 4. I'm livin' in a Great big Way—Fox-Trot.

8.18-8.43 p.m. Orchestral Music. Concert Waltz in A (Glazounov). Witches Dance—"La Tregenda" (Puccini).

Dance Macabre (Dance of Death) (Saint-Saens). Coppelia Ballet (Delibes). 8.43-9 p.m. Vocal Gems. The Chocolate Soldier.

9-9.15 p.m. A Relay of the Daventry News Bulletins (Copyright by Reuter). 9.15-10 p.m. Variety and Dance Music.

Piano Solos—Melodies of the Month "No. 6. Len Green. Band—Just a Greenhorn. Band—The Wheel of the Wagon is broken. Vocal—Melody Trumps.

The Four Aces. Orchestra—Lovely Liza Lee. Orchestra—There's no one with endurance. Frank Crumit. Song—You're all I need. Conno Boswell.

Orchestra—Give a broken heart, a break. Orchestra—Jump on the Wagon. 10 p.m. Big Ben. Reuter Press Bulletins.

10.05 p.m. Close Down.

ZEESEN PROGRAMMES

This Evening's Broadcast From The German Short-Waves

Special programmes for Far Eastern listeners will be broadcast from Zeesen as follows:

SOUTH ASIA ZONE
(South Asia Zone broadcast from DJB, 10.74 metres and DJN, 61.45 metres).
DJB 19.45 m 15,200 kc 1.30-3 p.m.
DJN 19.45 m 15,200 kc 4.45-8.15 p.m.
DJN 19.45 m 15,200 kc 4.45-8.15 p.m.
DJN 19.45 m 15,200 kc 9 p.m.-11.30 p.m.
4.45 p.m. Call. DJB, DJN (German, English). German Folk Song Programme Forecast (German, English).
5 p.m. Orchestral Concert.
5.30 p.m. News in English.
5.45 p.m. Life and Work in the Country.
6 p.m. Music and Poetry: String Quartet in E flat major op. 127 by Ludwig van Beethoven.

EAST ASIA ZONE
East Asia Zone broadcast through DJQ on 10.03 metres (15,280 kc.) 1.30-3 p.m. Concert, news at 2 p.m.
9 p.m. Call. DJA, DJB, DJN (German, English). German Folk Song Programme Forecast (German, English).
9.15 p.m. Quartet for Strings in E-flat Major op. 127 by Ludwig van Beethoven.
9.45 p.m. News in English on DJA and in Dutch on DJB, DJN.
10 p.m. Orchestral Concert.
10.45 p.m. Sports Review.
11 p.m. Songs by Erich Hannemann. Fritz Legner.

11.15 p.m. News in German on DJA, DJB, DJN, Close DJB (German, English).
11.30 p.m. Today in Germany Sound Pictures.
11.45 p.m. Brass Band.
12.15 a.m. News in English on DJA and in Dutch on DJB, DJN.
12.30 a.m. Close down DJA and DJN (German, English).

DAVENTRY PROGRAMMES

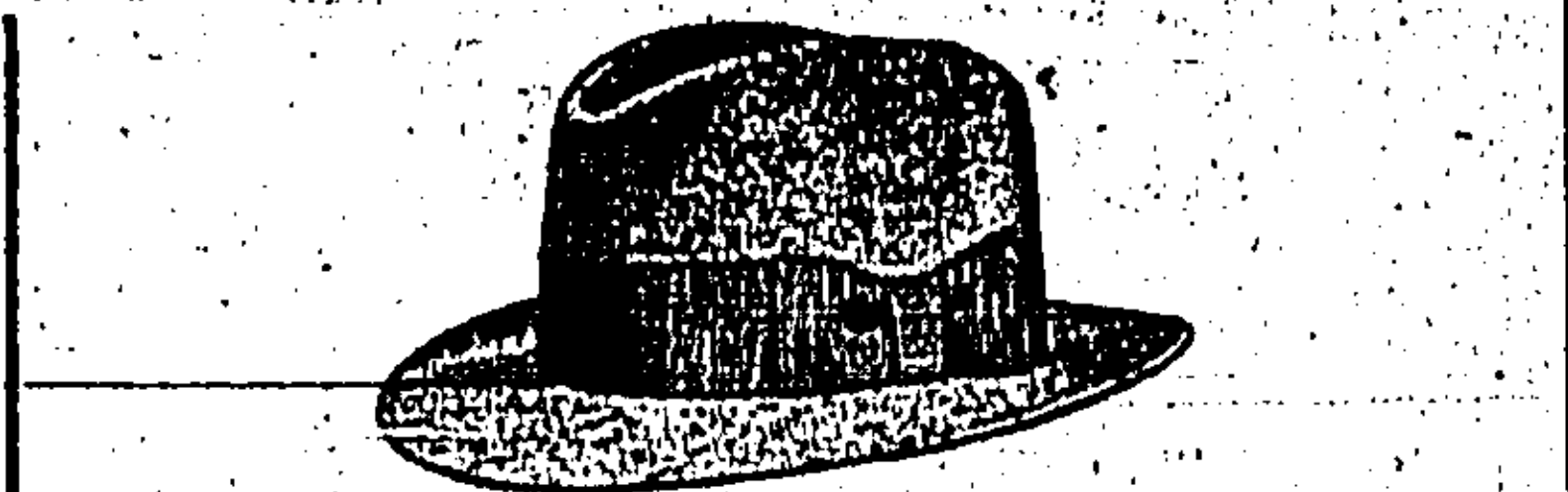
To-day's Broadcasting From Four Transmissions

The following wave-lengths and frequencies are observed by Daventry:

Call Sign	Frequency	Wave-length
GBA	8,050 k.c.	37.26 metres
GBH	8,150 k.c.	36.43 metres
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Transmission 5 (G.B.R. and G.O.).
7 a.m. Big Ben. A Religious Service, from the Studio.
7.45 a.m. A Light Symphony Concert. Greenwich Time Signal at 12.0 Midnight (Continued on Page 5.)

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POLO GYMKHANA

Hongkong Polo Club Stages Meeting

Postponed from last week on account of bad weather, the Hongkong Polo Club Gymkhana was held at the Polo Club ground, Kowloon yesterday afternoon in the presence of a large gathering, including His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, the Hon. Sir Thomas Southern, Lady Southern, His Excellency the General Officer Commanding the Troops in China, Major-General F. S. Thackeray, Mrs. Thackeray, and the Hon. Mr. C. G. Alabaster.

THE RESULTS

The results were as follows:
Tent Pegging.—1, Lieut. G. Henriques, R.A. (The Quail); 2, Sergt. H. B. Cuff (The Dynamoite).
Ladies' Bending Race.—1, Mrs. G. B. Fortman.
Men's Bending Race.—1, H. C. Macnamara.
Ladies' Football and Polo Stick Race.—1, Miss Barbara Lord; 2, Mrs. A. J. Ropes.
Handy Hunter Competition.—1, J. Parrish (Kash Kar); 2, Lieut. Commander H. Alexander, R.N. (Black Magic); 3, Mrs. D. C. Wilson (The Orphan).

Polo Goal Scoring.—D. L. Newbiggin and J. Buchanan.
Hare Back Wrestling.—Won by Lieut. E. C. Parker Jervis, Lieut. J. H. Johnson, J. Butcher and J. Fielden.
Prizes won in the various competitions organised by the Club were also distributed. They were:
Royal Navy Cup.—Won by Major Shannon, Lieut. Col. Williamson, Major Drennan and Lieut. Gough.
Stubbs Cup.—Won by "Artillery House" (Lieut. Ropes, Lieut. Baker Carr, Lieut. Metcalfe and Lieut. Johnson).

RIFLE SHOOTING

Lt. Berlyn Again Heads Competitors

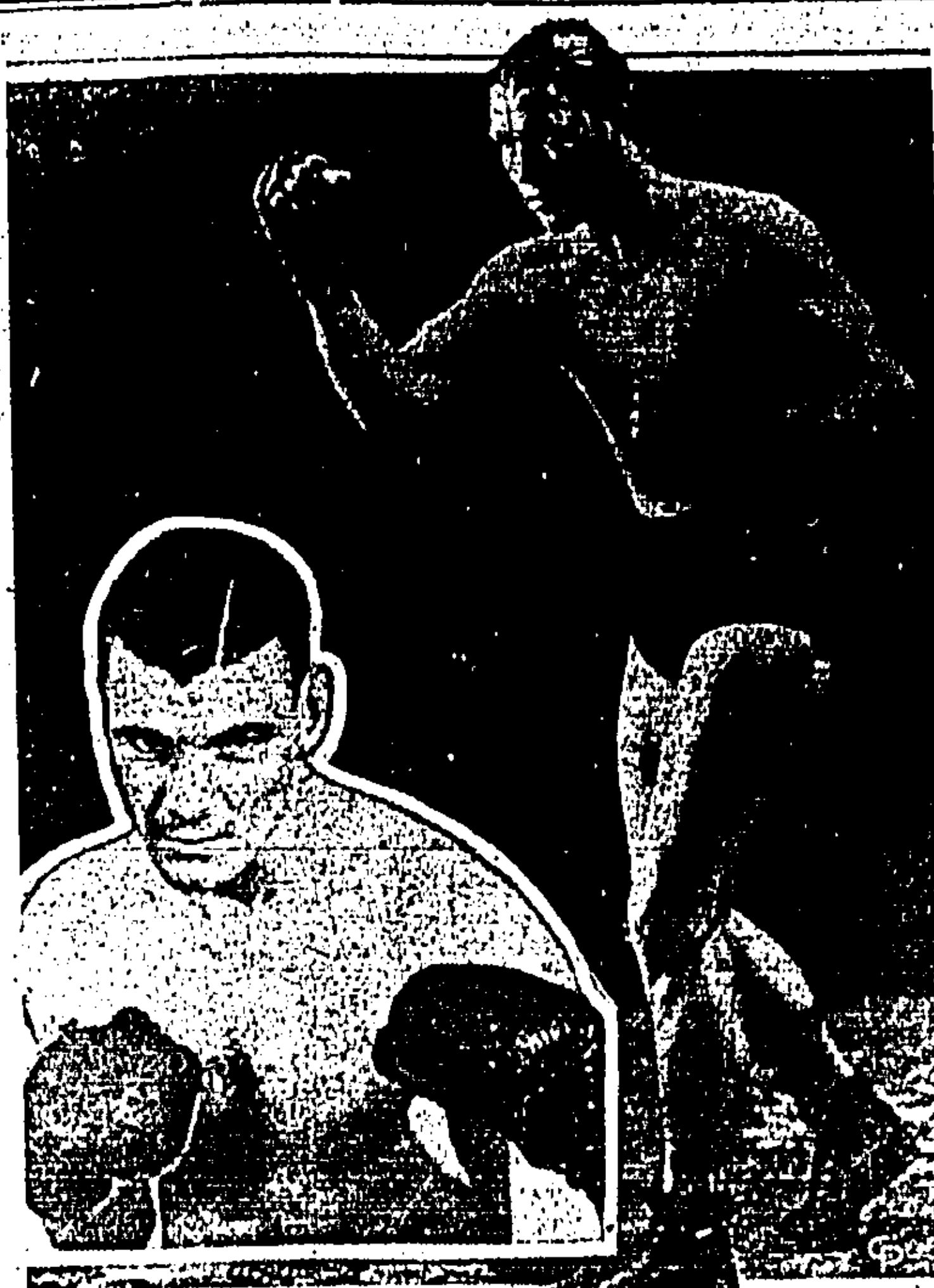
In spite of two of the affiliated Rifle Clubs having a friendly match on another range, the attendance at Stonecutters on Saturday afternoon for the Spoon and Practice shoot was not only well up to the average, but several new members attended for the first time.

Weather conditions were ideal, although more than one competitor was troubled in the later stages of the shoot, by the wind veering round from six to four o'clock.
Probably the outstanding feature of the shooting was the way in which those members, using the aperture sight and sling, have shown marked improvement in their aggregate scores, when these are compared with those made a few weeks ago. There is no doubt that this result is solely due to consistent practice, and it is because of this that the Council urge members to attend as regularly as possible.

It is announced that the "Grimes" Spoon, which is given to the member of the Association, whose scores during the previous month show the greatest improvement, has been awarded for October to Private W. H. Peckham, R.A.S.C.

The following are the results:

S. R. (b).	200	500	600	Total
Lieut. (E) Berlyn	33	32	30	95
	(Nett Spoon)			
Sgt. Warwick	30	33	31	94
Cpl. Woodman	26	32	32	90
Sgt. Blandford	30	29	31	90
Pte. Green, J.	28	29	32	89
Arm.				
Lt. Stephens	27	33	29	89
Pte. Starr	30	26	30	86
	(H'cap. Spoon)			
2/Lt. Holmes	26	28	29	83
Arm.				
Lt. Sjt. Todd	28	30	24	82
S. I. M. Shen	27	27	28	81
L/Cpl. Bradford	27	29	24	80
S. R. (a).				
L/Cpl. Gouch	31	31	31	93
	(Nett Spoon)			
L/Cpl. Peters	28	29	30	87
Fus. Carter	31	27	25	83
Cpl. Purr	28	28	27	83
	(H'cap. Spoon)			
Ch/E.R.A. Todd	26	28	26	80



Two of the Canadian boxers who will do their fighting for the edification of British audiences under the management of Mike "Cap" Kaplan, Kitchener and Edmonton promoter, are here. They are Eddie Wentzob of Edmonton, a smart light-heavyweight, who is expected to hook up with Eddie Phillips for the British lightweight title soon, and Tommy Bland of Toronto (left), Canadian light-weight champion. Wentzob has been campaigning in England and was well satisfied with conditions. Bland is also rated a prospective title contender.

CAMERON DEAD

FAMOUS SOUTH AFRICAN CRICKETER

Johannesburg, Nov. 2.
The death has occurred of H. B. Cameron, the South African wicket-keeper, from enteric fever.

Horace Brakenbridge, Cameron, vice-captain and batsman-wicket-keeper, might have been captain of the last South African team had he not lived up to his reputation for modesty. He held the leadership in South Africa, Australia and New Zealand for two seasons but retired in favour of Wade because he felt that his stumping and batting were quite enough for him to look after.

PLAYED IN 16 TESTS
Cameron had already played under Wade when they were boys together at Hilton College, Natal. Cameron was then vice-captain of the cricket and "Rugger" eleven. He was an experienced Test player, having included one at Manchester two years later, in which he scored 83. Since his last visit to England he seemed to have become more serious—perhaps because he was one of the South African team selection committee—although he was still a care-free but never irresponsible hitter.

ALSO FINE BATSMAN
He stumped men out with the nonchalant gesture of a smoker flicking the ash from his cigarette. He had already done something remarkable with the bat for he had 1,100 in a fifth-wicket partnership, made the biggest stand of the last tour when they scored 262 (Cameron 132) against Derbyshire. He was later featured in his best performance on the tour when he was undefeated for 103 against Yorkshire the Champs County, who were beaten by 128 runs. Like Wade, he was in his 30th year. He was one of the three married men of the party. He used to play baseball.

SUCCESS IN TEST
Cameron played in the last series of Test matches in England, when the South Africans won the rubber with the "Ashes" and met with considerable success on the tour. He scored two centuries, 132 against Derbyshire and 103 not out against Yorkshire. In the first Test, which was abandoned on the third day owing to rain, he scored 62 in the only innings the South Africans won. In the second Test, which South Africa won, he scored 90 in the first innings and three in the second. The third Test was drawn, and Cameron scored nine and 49. In the fourth Test, which was also drawn, he scored 63 in the first innings and in the last Test which was also left drawn he scored eight and 42.

SATURDAY RACING

(Continued from Page 8).

ridden by jockeys who have not won any race anywhere at any time. Six Furlongs.

205 Miss Y. Shenton's Wembley Stag 161 lb. (R. M. Wood) 1

204 Dr. J. C. Muegown's Tiltium 140 lb. (Tang Man Wa) 2

300 Lan's Plain View 158 lb. (W. H. Choy) 3

Won by a neck; short head.

Parimutuel: Winner \$37.50; places, \$8.00; \$7.50; \$9.80.

7. Sussex Handicap.—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$100.

For China Ponies. Subscription of this Club of this Season.

Winners at Race meetings of this Club, barred. Jockey Allowance.

Entrance \$5. Half a Mile.

306 Chiu's Beginner's Luck 165 lb. (P. P. Botelho) 1

307 Why's Blacksmith 140 lb. (H. C. Ph) 2

313 Li Bros's The Decimeter 165 lb. (G. A. Harriman) 3

Won by a neck; short head.

Time: 1:00.4.

Parimutuel: Winner \$29.40; places, \$10.90; \$8.90; \$15.70.

8. Kent Handicap.—(Second Section).—Winner \$450. Second \$200. Third \$100.

For China Ponies of this season that have won \$1750 or more in stakes, barred. Jockey Allowance.

One and a Quarter Miles.

323 Li and Li's Racing Boy 162 lb. (D. Black) 1

321 L.T.F.'s Great Hall 168 lb. (G. U. da Rosa) 2

322 L. Reidy's Pride of Tsing-tao 168 lb. (L. G. Frost) 3

Won by a neck; short head.

Time: 2:37.4.

Parimutuel: Winner \$38.80; places, \$10.10; \$22.50; \$7.40.

Daily Double Betting.

Nullo's Nullo Handicap.—Australian Boy 42, Bag Tor 300, Cold Morning 34, Derby Day 8, Night Star 13, Racing Heart 316, Satey Face 41, Shooting Star 75.

Sussex Handicap.—Beginner's Luck 0, Blacksmith 4, Flamingo 0, Forge master 6, Hellwafeller 1, Lockley Hall 1, Silver Fox 0, The Decimeter 1, What's the Time 0, Windfield 0.

Because none of the backers of Night Star bet on Beginner's Luck, the whole pool worth \$3,650.40 was carried forward to the next extra meeting, on November 10.

CASH SWEEP RESULTS

Race 1
No. 1228 \$804.00
" 390 284.00
" 1542 142.00
Unplaced runners (\$50 each), Nos.: 1854; 1025.

Race 2
No. 142 \$518.40

SHANGHAI CRICKETERS SAILING

LAST MINUTE CHANGE

The Shanghai Interport cricket team will sail to-morrow at daylight on the Empress of Russia for Hongkong.
The side comprises D. W. Leach, E. P. Williams, E.M.P. Williams, P. Madar, L. F. Stokes, S. R. Kerman, H. P. Madar, G. B. Elliott, R. Booth, J. B. Leckie and J. C. Jenkins, with E. C. Baker as manager and twelfth man.
The most notable last minute change is the inclusion of G. B. Elliott in place of F. Marshall, the latter being unable to make the trip.
E. P. Humphreys and L. P. Stokes are both in the Colony at the moment, the latter on his honeymoon.

MASONS AT BOWLS

English Constitution Beat Scottish

The English Constitution of Freemasons defeated the Scottish Constitution by 103 points to 101 yesterday afternoon, when they met on the Hongkong Football Club Green, Happy Valley.

At the conclusion of the match Mr. E. J. Edwards presented silver spoons for the English Constitution, while Mr. J. Owen-Hughes performed the same ceremony for the Scottish Constitution.

T. Armstrong, W. Geall, A. F. Paul and T. Carr (skip) (English) beat T. Coleman, P. Channing, S. Eccleshall and J. Deakin (skip) (Scottish) by 20-14.

G. Stephens, C. E. Moore, E. Tuck and A. Brookbank (skip) (English) lost to W. K. Way, A. Stalker, W. Greig and F. Cullen (skip) (Scottish) by 14-22.

C. Strange, G. T. Padgett, A. T. Hamilton and G. C. Moss (skip) (English) lost to W. J. Burling, D. W. Waterton, H. F. Westlake and F. H. W. Haynes (skip) (Scottish) by 16-17.

E. B. Reed, W. Ward, E. G. Post and W. E. Hollands (skip) (English) beat A. Tarbuck, J. Dinneen, J. J. Whyte and W. Glendinning (skip) (Scottish) by 19-10.

J. Smith, E. I. Wynne-Jones, H. Westlake and A. W. Grimmitt (skip) (English) beat R. H. E. Marks, P. C. Morgan, W. P. Seath and H. J. Bebbington (skip) (Scottish) by 20-10.

B. E. Maughan, J. Owen-Hughes, J. Bentley and J. C. Bonnar (skip) (English) lost to H. Cullen, E. J. Edwards, J. Polson and F. Cullen (skip) (Scottish) by 11-16.

" 133 518.40
" 1035 115.20

Unplaced runners (\$50 each), Nos.: 1780; 128; 1380; 300 1932; 2220; 311; 545; 1114; 3101 522.....

Race 3
No. 1235 \$1,057
" 950 320
" 2157 151

Unplaced runners (\$50 each), Nos.: 951; 1739; 69; 1594.

Race 4
No. 1409 \$1,017.80
" 1231 200.80
" 919 145.40

Unplaced runners (\$50 each), Nos.: 222; 674; 1278; 355; 1875; 264; 1332; 1164.

Race 5
No. 253 \$1,155.00
" 1875 300.00
" 906 105.00

Unplaced runners (\$50 each), Nos.: 1059; 1399; 445; 637; 1859.

Race 6
No. 1928 \$998.20
" 1811 285.20
" 2394 342.50

Unplaced runners (\$50 each), Nos.: 1249; 1906; 1477; 981; 820; 2409; 97; 28; 2373; 1334; 1093.

Race 7
No. 1054 \$1,197.00
" 1438 342.00
" 2573 171.00

Unplaced runners (\$50 each), Nos.: 1080; 889; 1981; 1830; 634; 631; 1638.

Race 8
No. 2382 \$1,229.00
" 1479 351.40
" 543 175.70

Unplaced runners (\$50 each), Nos.: 1237; 1056; 2796; 337; 607; 1736; 1690; 1133; 670; 1359.

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Draft Programmes and Entry Forms for the Twelfth Extra Race Meeting to be held on Saturday, 16th November, 1935, (weather permitting) may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, Gloucester Building, the Club House, Happy Valley; the Hong Kong Club; the Sports Club; and the Stables, Shan Kwong Road.

Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on Thursday, 7th November, 1935.

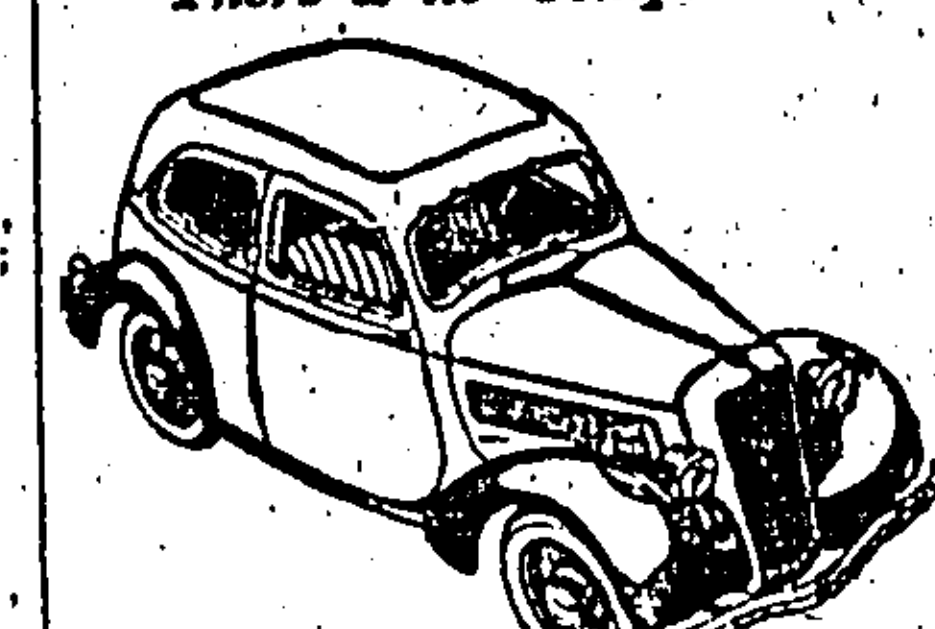
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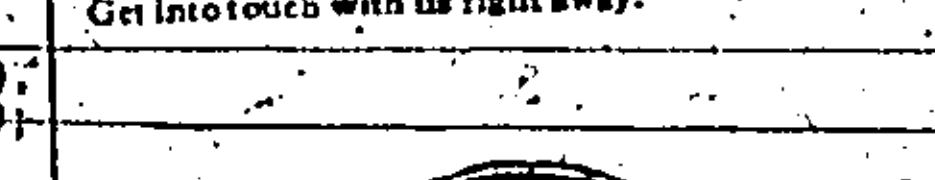
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SERIAL STORY

DOONNA & THE BIG TOP

by BEULAH POWELL

BEGIN HERE TO-DAY

DOONNA GABRIEL and MADELINE SIDDAL who call themselves "The Gabriel Sisters" are circus performers. Years earlier Madeline ran away from her grandfather's farm.

When Donna is injured by a fall from a trapeze, Madeline arranges for her to be taken to GRANDFATHER SIDDAL'S farm to recuperate. To please her partner Donna pretends to be Madeline. She falls in love with BILL SIDDAL, Madeline's cousin, and though she is ashamed of deceiving him and Grandfather she is afraid to tell the truth.

Grandfather tells her that her partner is married. Con, believing Donna lost to him, marries Madeline. Though terrified of the lions and tigers she takes part in his animal act.

Con sees one of Donna's letters to Madeline and discovers how she tricked him into marriage.

CHAPTER XIX

When the animals had been driven back through the covered runway and the uproar lulled, Renfroes halted Con. "What's the idea?" he demanded. "Trying to commit suicide or pull a new act?"

"Neither." The animal trainer strode through the sawdust-covered corridor that led from the "big top" to the dressing tent, brushing aside everyone who stood in his way.

Madeline was waiting at the door of her dressing room. Under the rouge her cheeks were pale and her eyes black. "Say, what's the matter with you?" she began.

Con caught her wrist, jerked the door open with his other hand and almost flung her into the room. The two other women who shared the dressing room stared at him in amazement.

"Get out," he told them.

Both left quickly, without a word. Occasional quarrels and even fights were to be expected between married couples and Con was notoriously temperamental. If he wanted a showdown, fight and all, it was none of their business. Madeline looked capable of taking care of herself.

Alone with Madeline, Con became deadly calm. A smile that distorted his features, robbing them of all attractiveness, spread over his face. "So Donna is to be married?" he drawled.

"Why—why, yes. I told you that a long time ago."

"Yes, you told me. You told me before she had even thought of such a thing. Let's see—how many months ago was it? Long before you trapped me—"

"Don't you say I trapped you!" Madeline rasped.

"Why not? You knew that if I hadn't thought Donna was going to marry that rube cousin of yours, I wouldn't have married her. So you lied. You told me she'd written you that they were engaged—"

"You just said they're going to be married," she broke in. "I don't know what you're talking about! Now you say I lied."

"I'm talking about this," Con extracted the letter from his pocket and flung it at her. "Oh, I read it! If you can convince me that Donna Gabriel ever wrote you she was going to be married before this letter came, I'll give you a hundred dollars. You're the King of England! Good God, you women are more treacherous than tigers! I suppose she's marrying him now because you married me."

Madeline burst into hysterical laughter. "Of all the conceits! Don't tell me you still believe Donna would ever have had you! She couldn't see you for dust at any time, and I know it! Yes, I lied when I said they were going to be married. Why not? I was fool enough to think that if you knew you could never have her you'd snap out of it and begin to get something out of life."

"With you?"

"Yes, with me. It's only your damned pride and conceit that's eating you now. That's all it ever was between you and Donna—and don't tell me any different. I've lived with you long enough to know you'll never love any one but yourself. The only reason you married Donna was because you couldn't have her. I wish to God she'd married you! I don't want you. Not any more!"

She dropped into a chair, laid her head on the shelf before the mirror and burst into angry tears. Con could not combat. He paced the little room, whistled, disconsolately and then swung on his heels and left.

Madeline picked up the letter, read it through and then destroyed it. She told him that they had said things that were not easily forgiven; nor forgotten. With her success in the animal act, Madeline had hoped to win her husband's love. Con's fury over discovering that Donna had had a lover, the engaged one, married until after his own wedding showed Madeline only too plainly that he did not love her, that he still cared for the other girl.

Con was well aware of his conceit but he did not want any one else to mention it, least of all the woman who bore his name. Madeline had added insult to injury and he could not forgive her.

Because the scene still rankled and because both were stubborn, the strained situation continued. Con had never known humility. Never in his life had he admitted himself in the wrong. The overtures toward reconciliation would have to come from Madeline, and Madeline, in the throes of jealousy, convinced herself that she hated Con and did not care if they never spoke again.

Consequently the breach widened. Con treated Madeline with a supercilious courtesy that infuriated her and fanned to a higher flame her hatred and jealousy. Probably during those days when she completely ignored him he came nearer to loving her than at any other time. She had spoken truly when she said it was because Donna cared nothing for Con that he had been so determined to win her.

Lucy, the Bengal, was the only one of his beasts Con really cared for. Lucy could not be tamed. She could be driven into the great barred ring, but no persuasion, threats or whipping could make her mount a stool and sit there as the circus animals did. Beautiful as some evil tropical flower, she would stand defiant, snarling and lashing her tail, her yellow eyes gleaming with malice and contempt for her brothers that bowed before the crack of Con's pistol, the lash of his whip.

And it was because he had met his match in this jungle cat that Con loved her. He gloried in her undefeated spirit while he swore he would conquer her if he had to kill her.

"Better watch out," Renfroes warned. "I don't have to tell you there are some cats you can't train. That beast is a devil. You'll never lick her."

"I will if it's the last thing I do! I'll make her crawl on her belly and like it!"

If Madeline had learned a lesson from the Bengal tiger she might have won Con's love. If she had continued to be aloof, cold and defiant he would in time have forgiven what she had done and found it worth while to try to reinstate himself. Eventually he

might have given her as much affection as he was capable of giving any one.

But Madeline was a woman in love. After a week's coolness, when she alternated between hating Con and aching for him, she smothered her pride and begged his forgiveness.

"It was because I loved you," she sobbed. "I knew it was a rotten thing to do but I was just crazy and I knew Donna would never marry you. I'm telling you the truth, the God's truth! Donna had a crush on Bill Siddal the first time she went to visit my grandfather and I knew if she and Bill were thrown together they'd get married. You've got to forgive me, Con. I can't go on like this! It's just killing me to have you treat me this way."

"I suppose it was your idea to have Donna go to the farm after the accident."

"Well, it was a lot better than having her stay in a hospital and it saved expense."

"And threw her and your precious cousin together?"

"You're grandfather think of Donna's sponging on him this way?"

"Why, he thinks she is—er—he loves her because—"

"I heard you the first time. So your grandfather thinks Donna is well-to-do?"

"Yes, Not rich, but the farm is worth something. He's comfortably fixed. Why?"

"It strikes me that in your anxiety to marry your partner off so you could get your clutches on me you've thrown away your inheritance."

"I don't know what you mean. Donna would never—you don't think Donna would influence him into leaving her the farm, do you?"

"Would she have to do any influencing? He thinks she is his granddaughter, you say. She's marrying your cousin. You don't suppose he is going to let the fortune, such as it is, slip through his hands? If Donna isn't unscrupulous enough to clever enough to get the old man's will worked in such a fashion that the money will be hers, this cousin will think up a way to do it."

"And where will you be? You could swear until doomsday that you were the granddaughter and entitled to what is left, but with two against you you'd just be out of luck."

Madeline's lips curled scornfully. "And you claimed to love Donna! I don't know anything about Bill Siddal, but I do know Donna. She wouldn't sell and no man could induce her to try to cheat me out of anything. Grandfather might leave."

"I wouldn't be too sure! I suppose you kept that letter?"

"No, I destroyed it. But just to satisfy you I'll write Donna and ask her what she intends to do if Grandfather should die."

"You think she'd tell you?"

"I know she would."

"If she does, for your own protection be sure to keep the letter. Until this conversation Madeline had given little thought to what her grandfather possessed. Now the farm and livestock and the Siddal bank account became of vast importance as she realized that Con considered her an heiress. After Madeline had written to Donna, first wishing her happiness, then tactfully inquiring what the situation would be if Grandfather Siddal should die, she began to wonder if Con were not a better judge of character than herself. This conversation in marrying Bill Siddal, looking forward to a future that included property and valuable assets as well as home and husband?

(To Be Continued)

CINEMA NEWS

NOTES FROM THE THEATRES

"Browns' Millions." Jack Buchanan's latest musical film, which comes to the King's Theatre on Wednesday, has well proved itself the most ambitious "musical" yet made in England. For the big scene of the film, a Corsican carnival in which more than a thousand revellers take part, the studio technicians constructed an exact replica of the market square of Ajaccio, picturesque capital of Corsica. This huge set, comprising churches, shops, cafe and three-storied dwelling houses, covered ten acres of the B. and D. studios and occupied the attention of a host of workers for many weeks. Another sequence was filmed on the decks and bridge of a 1,500-ton luxury yacht, which the director chartered for a week's cruise in the vicinity of the Isle of Wight. A third set shows the interior of a Mayfair mansion of the grandest and most imposing kind. The film is a complete office suite that multi-millionaire captains of industry dream about, a palatial affair, all marble, chromium plate and modernity. These are some of the stirring grounds for the hilarious story of the man who is obliged to spend half a million of money in six months in order to qualify for a legacy of six millions, a story which made thousands of pre-war theatre-goers laugh their heads off. Lilli Damita plays opposite Jack Buchanan, whilst the supporting cast includes Fred Emney, Sydney Fairbrother, Ian McLean, Amy Veness, Anthony Holles and Sebastian Shaw. The musical numbers are by Ray Noble and Thornton Freeland, of "Whoopee" fame, directs.

"Red Hot Tires"

Mary Astor and Lyle Talbot talked in whispers for two days as a result of over-enthusiasm. Working together in the first National picture "Red Hot Tires," coming soon to the Queen's

Theatre, one of the sequences reveals the pair as excited spectators of a college race. They were supposed to be moved to the pitch of excitement in watching the thrilling sport. It hadn't been planned, however, that the two would cheer so loud and long that hoarseness would result, but that's what happened. But are racing enthusiasts and when they watched the daredevil race track stunts, they completely forgot themselves and cheered louder and longer than was necessary for picture purposes. "Red Hot Tires" is a dynamic drama with exciting thrills that will take the breath. There is a stirring and unusual romance in which two daredevil drivers battle both for racing honours and the love of a beautiful girl. In the cast besides Talbot and Miss Astor are Roscoe Karns, Frankie Darro, Gavin Gordon, Mary Treen and Henry Kolker.

"Cardinal Richelieu"

To attempt to picture the dignified George Arlino, who brings his latest historical characterisation to the screen of the King's Theatre in the title role of Darryl Zanuck's 20th Century production of "Cardinal Richelieu," blithely singing his way through a musical comedy is to tax the imagination almost beyond the bounds of reason. But the screen's most distinguished character star actually earned his living in exactly this fashion during one season early in his career. He admits that his voice was pretty dreadful and after that season he kept a promise to himself not to let it happen again. Arlino was born in London on April 10, 1868. He indulged his childhood ambition to act by putting on amateur theatricals in the basement of a small friend's home. At his father's insistence, he spent a year in his publishing house. Then he joined the old Elephant and Castle stock company, playing in blood and thunder "mellors." Tours of the English provinces with various stock companies followed and then came the memorable singing season. He met his wife in a theatrical school and proposed to her because she had

"nice arms." After a number of appearances with Mrs. P. Campbell's London company he accompanied her stock company to America, and met with such great success that he remained there. After appearing in "The Darling of the Gods" and several plays with Mrs. Pinks, he was starred in "The Devil" (Septimus followed) and then "Disraeli," in which he played for five years. Then came "Paganini," "Hamilton" and "The Green Goddess." He entered the then silent films at this point and made "The Devil," "The Ruling Passion," "The Green Goddess" and "Disraeli." Arlino returned to the stage to star in "Old English" and toured the country in "The Merchant of Venice." The arrival of "talkies" induced him to return to films to remake "Disraeli" and "The Green Goddess." He has since achieved a brilliant screen career, highlights of which were "The Millionaire," "The Working Man," "Voltaire" and, since joining Zanuck and Joseph M. Schenck's 20th Century Picture Company releasing through United Artists, "The House of Rothschild," "The Last Gentleman" and the current "Cardinal Richelieu." During a trip to England in the course of which he did intensive research for "Richelieu," he made "The Iron Duke," in which he portrayed the Duke of Wellington.

"Becky Sharp"

Inaugurating what many believe to be a new era in screen entertainment, Pioneer Pictures first full-colour feature, "Becky Sharp" is now thrilling audiences at the Queen's Theatre. Based upon William Makepeace Thackeray's famous fiction classic, "Vanity Fair" and the Langdon Mitchell stage play "Becky Sharp" it stars Miriam Hopkins. Produced entirely in the new three-component Technicolor, it promises a revelation in beauty, fidelity to life and clarity. It is the first full length dramatic motion picture of this process and may, as many predict, revolutionize the entire future course of the film industry because colour perfection is now available. Coming as a Rouben Mamoulian production,

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London, Nov. 2.

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birth, and the other for 28 years, are expected to recover their sight. In the case of the man born blind, substitution of visual reception for sense of touch will probably take some time, but he has already been able to count his fingers and distinguish colours.—British Wireless.

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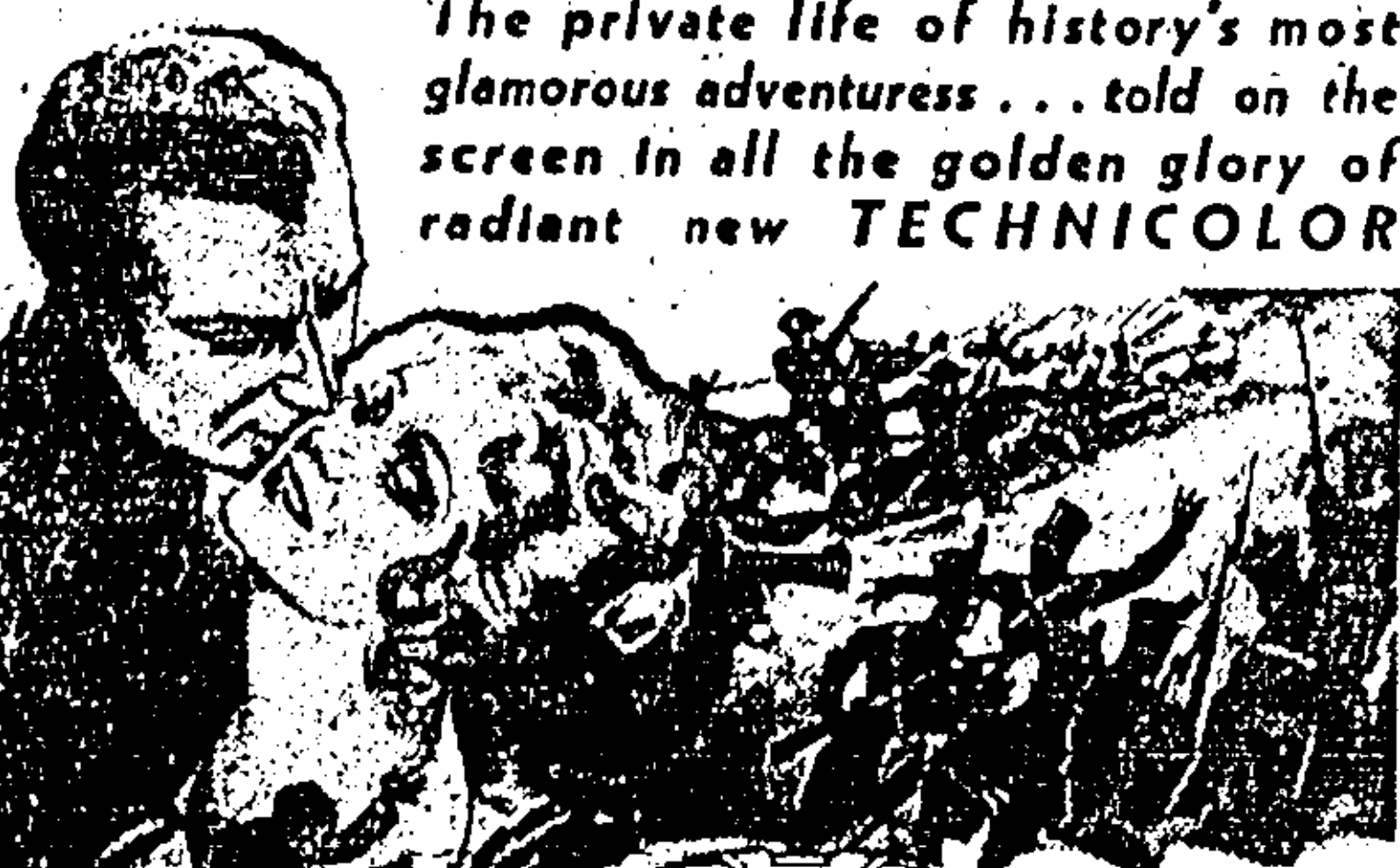
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AUSTRALIAN GIRLS' TOUR

PARTY LEAVES JAPAN

Yokohama, Nov. 4. The party of thirty-four Australian girls, members of the Young Australia League who have been touring Japan, departed en route for Australia by the President Pierce to-day. During the three weeks of their visit, the party has toured the entire island, being feted and given receptions everywhere.—United Press.

The party is due in Hongkong on Armistice Day, and the local arrangements include the laying of a wreath on the Cenotaph and a dance given under the auspices of the Australian and New Zealand Association in the Rose Room of the Peninsula Hotel on Tuesday, November 12, admission to which will be by ticket.

FIGHT SEQUEL

MEN AND WOMAN CHARGED

Yip So, 34 years, Sze To Cheuk-ang, both business partners, Sze To-ten, 37, Assistant Manager, Sze To Shue-yin, 26, shop assistant, and Lam Tin, 61 years, widow, appeared before Mr. Macdougall at the Central Magistracy this morning, charged with fighting in Wing Lok Street. All five defendants pleaded guilty.

Mr. C. E. Lowe appeared for the first and third defendants and said the fight was not serious and the defendants had all come to an agreement. The first defendant, said Mr. Lowe, expressed his regret for causing the police a lot of trouble, and asked his Worship to caution him.

Sub Inspector Walsh said a caution was not enough and asked his Worship to bind defendants over.

His Worship accordingly bound the defendants over in a bond of \$25 each to be of good behaviour for a year.

LABOURING FOR PEACE OF WORLD

(Continued from Page 1.)

Council. It was clear that every member had one object only in mind—to bring to an end at the earliest possible moment to the horrors of war and to help on a settlement acceptable to the three parties to the controversy, the League, Italy and Abyssinia. It was in this spirit that I had a series of very helpful talks with M. Laval and other French Ministers. It was in the same spirit that I myself had a free and frank conversation with Baron Aloisi this morning.

Time, patience and understanding would be required for reconciling the divergent interests, and when or whether the League would succeed he could not say, but they were encouraged by the work done. "As a result of the collective action of 50 nations—a remarkable event in the history of the world—the League has shown its vitality. It has given a real stimulus to peace, both by its display of collective solidarity and its determination at the same time, to encourage every honourable effort to make an end to the risks and horrors of war."—British Wireless.

ITALIAN ATTACK ON 100-MILE FRONT

(Continued from page 1.)

Makale. It was the goal of the British in the first day's drive. The local native chieftains surrendered to the Italians and then immediately fed them.—United Press.

INVADERS WELCOMED

Amaru, Nov. 3. The main body of Birolis and Askaris, leading the advance of the Northern Army, occupied the town of Endanabamas to-day.

The place commands a fertile and well-watered series of valleys. The women welcomed the invaders and large herds of cattle were brought from concealment. The troops brought many head.

General Santini's Blackshirts are expected to enter Hausien tomorrow. They are at present holding a line from the Monastery de Brasion on English Street to the Monastery Ambasion on the road from Adirgat to Hausien.

The Italians are welcomed in the captured villages by a pealing of bells of stone, deputations of monks with gifts of sweetmeats, incense, chickens and eggs. The natives are all submissive.—Reuter.

Children Victims Of Anarchist

MILWAUKEE BOMBERS BLOWN TO PIECES

(Special to "Telegraph")

Milwaukee, Nov. 3. Patricia Mlynarek, eight, her brother Conrad, six, Isadore Rutkowski, 20, and an unidentified male, believed to be Isadore's brother Eugene, were killed to-day in a dynamite explosion, climaxing a series of five bomb outrages here.

Police said Isadore was the leader of an anarchist group responsible for the bombing of two banks, two police stations and the city hall in the suburb of Shorewood.

The blast which killed the two children and the two young men apparently occurred in a small garage adjoining the Mlynarek home.

The concussion broke windows several blocks away and the blast was heard eight miles distant. The bodies were blown to pieces. A man's leg was found on the telephone wires half a block away.—United Press.

Russia's Vast Gold Hoard

EVEN ARCTIC YIELDS UP WEALTH

Moscow, Nov. 3. Last year the Russian gold output exceeded that of the United States and Canada combined.

By 1940 it will reach the record figure of \$20,000,000 per annum. Russia needs gold to purchase goods from abroad which she urgently requires to ensure success of her second five year plan.

She is obtaining it by intensified research. Numerous new gold bearing reefs have been discovered in the Caucasus, Kazan and even in the Arctic, where prospecting is done on a scientific scale unheard of in other parts of the world.—Reuter Special.

NEW DEAL TO BE TESTED

MADE ISSUE AT N.Y. ELECTION

New York, Nov. 3. The New Deal will receive its first test at the polls to-morrow. Mr. James A. Farley, the U.S. Postmaster General, has agreed to accept the Republican challenge to make to-morrow's state elections a test, as a prelude to next year's presidential elections.

New York is considered one of the key states, where the result of elections indicate "which way the wind is blowing." Said the Postmaster General: "Business is steadily improving in the United States and uncertainty as to the future is long since ended. Salaries are increasing and the investment market is growing stronger daily." Mr. Farley charged the Republicans with attempting to create a period of uncertainty for next year's national elections.—United Press.

MYSTERIOUS SUBMARINES

REPORTED LURKING OFF GALAPAGOS

Tokyo, Nov. 4. The Foreign Office has been informed by diplomats that the United Press carries a report from Bogoto, Colombia, dated Guayaquil, October 31, to the effect that mysterious submarines, and also another warship, have appeared off Galapagos, and that there is some suspicion that the vessels are Japanese.

The Foreign Office report does not say whether the United Press carried the report on its own responsibility, or merely quoted Bogoto and Guayaquil newspapers.—United Press.

BERENGARIA-TO BE RETIRED

London, Nov. 3. The Cunard-White Star Line announces that the 52,100-ton Atlantic liner Berengaria, formerly the Hamburg-American liner, Imperator, will be retired from service when the Queen Mary begins her sailings on May 27 next.—British Wireless.

WOMEN WITH OPIUM

AGED WIDOW GETS SENTENCE

Two Chinese women were brought before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, charged with possession of opium. Both pleaded guilty and were heavily fined.

Pleading guilty to the possession of 6½ taels of raw opium at No. 95 Prince Edward Road, ground floor, yesterday, Wong Kam, aged 74, widow, was fined \$150, or, in default, six weeks' hard labour.

Revenue Officer A. W. Grimmit stated that a raid was carried out on the address and defendant was found in front. A Chinese officer was left to watch, while Revenue Officer Grimmit went to search the back cubicle. Whilst doing so, Revenue Officer Grimmit heard the Chinese officer shout that the old lady had watched a parcel from some firewood and thrown it away.

The prosecution stated that in view of the old lady's age, they were not pressing the case. His Worship replied that he could not let her get away with the offence, or it would be found that old women would always be used as carriers.

A 20-year-old unmarried woman, Chung Wai-ying, was charged with the possession of 26 taels of raw opium and a fine of \$780, with the alternative of four months' hard labour, was imposed.

Revenue Officer Grimmit stated that a raid was carried out on the premises of No. 26 Nullah Road, ground floor, and the opium was found in a black box which was kept in the cockpit. The police were informed that the box belonged to two young girls, and they were taken to Fa Yuen Street and defendant and a 14-year-old girl were pointed out as being the owners. The defendant stated that the opium had been given to her to carry by a man named Wong Kip.

POLICE RESERVE

ORDERS FOR CURRENT WEEK

Orders by Mr. D. Burlingham, Inspector General of Police, state:

Armistice Day

The following Police Reservists will parade for duty in connection with the Armistice Day Celebrations on Monday, November 11th:

Chinese Company.—15 members of the Chinese Company to parade at Central Police Station at 09.30 hours to draw arms and 30 members to parade at the Chinese Company Headquarters at the time arranged. Dress—White Uniform, Sunhats, Belt with Brace, and Truncheons.

Indian Company.—30 members of the Indian Company to parade at Central Police Station at 09.30 hours to draw arms. Dress—White Uniform, Sunhats, Belt with Brace, and Truncheons.

Flying Squad.—12 members of the Flying Squad to parade at Central Police Station at 09.30 hours to draw arms. Dress—White Uniform, Sunhats, Belt with Brace, and Truncheons.

Emergency Unit Reserve.—All members of the Emergency Unit Reserve will parade for duty as arranged.

Chinese Company

Training Course: Part II.—All recruits of the Chinese Company who have not yet passed Part II of Training Course will attend at the Chinese Company Headquarters on Tuesday, November 6th at 17.30 hours for instruction.

Indian Company 1st Aid Classes.—All members taking this course will report at the Indian Company Headquarters on Tuesday, and Thursday, 5th and 7th November, 1935, at 18.30 hours for instruction.

Flying Squad Escort Duty.—Members detailed for special escort duty will report at Central Police Station at 14.30 hours on Wednesday, November 6th, 1935. D. L. KING, D. S. P. (R.)

HOME MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

LABOUR LOSES SEATS

London, Nov. 3. Labour suffered a net loss of 27 seats in the Municipal elections in 360 towns, cities and boroughs. Conservatives gained 56 seats and lost 22. Liberals gained 12 and lost 14. Labour gained 39 and lost 66.

Mr. Herbert Morrison remarked that the result was unexpected. This he did not think is any indication of what will happen at the General Election. On the other hand, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald welcomed the result as a definite election pointer.—Reuter.

The rainfall registered at the Hongkong Botanic Gardens during October amounted to 5.45 inches, fairly evenly distributed throughout the month.

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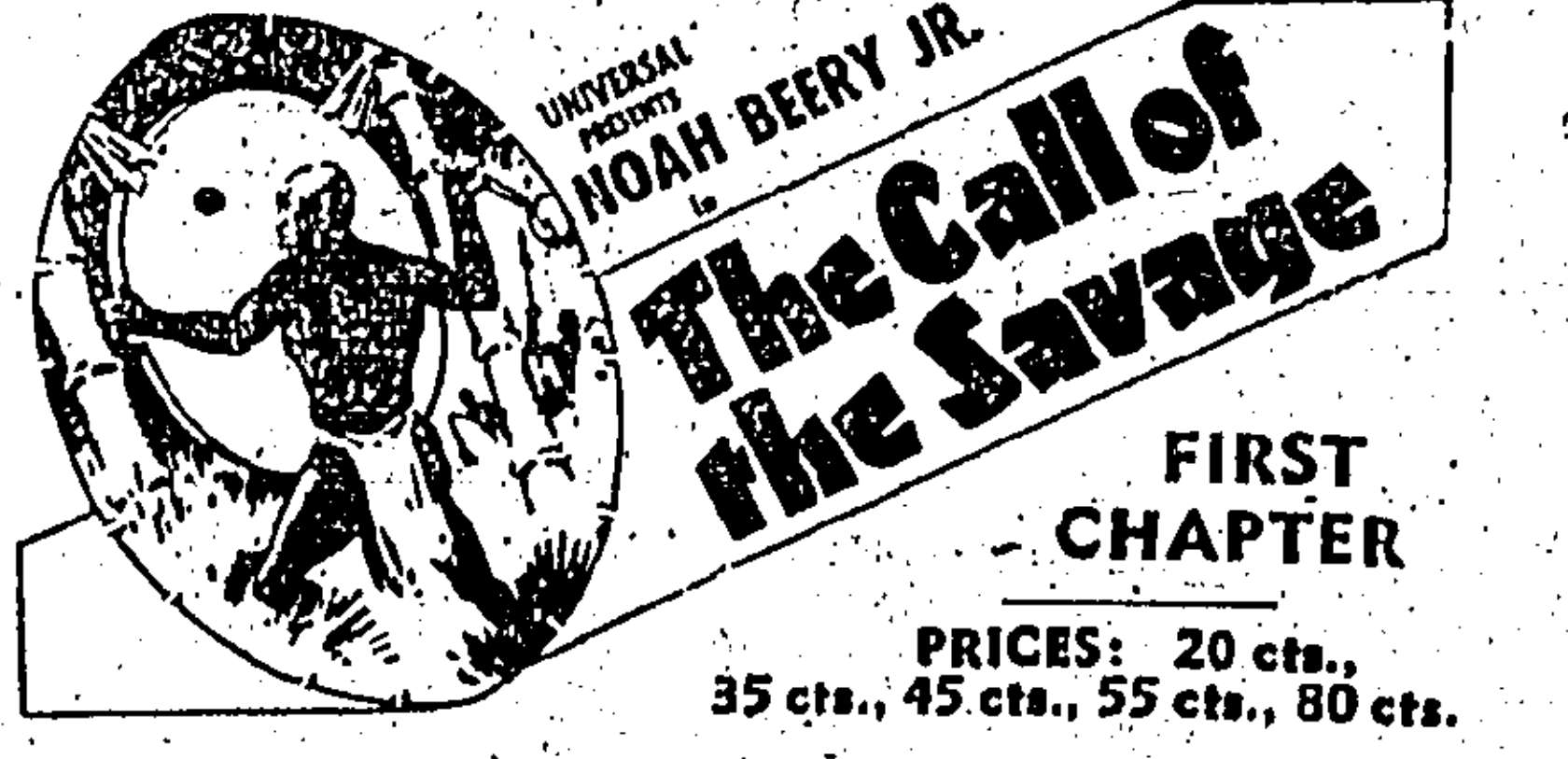
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